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TO THE SOUTH, ESPECIALLY TEXAS."

the M. E. Church. This article is writer, who has a diploma from a omitted the name of Pat. H. Rose, rather better in tene than most of university in Ohio and Charles our lay delegate to the Annual the correspondence from the same Wright, another graduate of Yale. Conference. If not too late, please quarter. For instance, an anony- The first president of Wesley Col-the list of lay delegates.-H. S. T. mous correspondent, from an im- lege, of San Augustine, was Lester aginary place, writes to the New Janes, a graduate of a northern in-York Advocate, in regard to the M. stitution ; and Rev. James M. Fol-E. Church, South: "They allow in lansbee, the first president of the Luling, June 26-29. The new that church almost every thing school at Chapell Hill, was a grad- church, though not quite finished, the world dees-gambling, drink- uate of Dickinson College, Penn- it will be a neat and commodious ing and licentiousness." Such a sylvania. Dr. Wm. Halsey, who house. The attendance was fair, correspondent does not deserve a was successively president of Ru- and reports showed substantial moment's consideration, unless to terville College and Soule Univer- and gratifying advance over last call his attention to the command-ment of the decalogue which re-lates to bearing false witness, etc. Middletown, Connecticut, Mind lates to bearing false witness, etc. Middletown, Connecticut. Mind, ference hereafter. The district ing. May the Lord reward them. Dr. Brush refrains from such we do not give these items because school (Coronal Institute) made a to men so largely engaged in "land We might answer other points in speculations" as were the leading Dr. Brush's letter, but we forbear members of the Austin Conference, at present. this talk about a consecrated min- Corpus Christi District Conference. Marcos. istry has peculiar significance. But Corpus Christi district has nine this is none of our especial busi- pastoral charges in the Southwestness. As to the "incubus of moral ern portion of Texas. It includes death," the same mail that brought the counties of Nueces, Duval, Mc-Dr. Brush's article, brought the Mullen, Live Oak, Bee, San Pa-TEXAS CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE, in tricio, Refugio, Aransas, Goliad, whose "postal columns" there were Karnes, and a portion of DeWitt, reports of more than two hundred accessions to the M. E. Church, Southwest of this district, has no South-a pretty lively corpse. American preachers, except those Again. Dr. Brush says: "God has connected with the Mexican border held Texas-this magnificent coun- Mission district. The nine pastotry—in reserve till the present that commercial aud evangelizing forces ral charges have four parsonages, valued at \$4,600; and nine churches valued at \$12,400. An might pre-occupy it in the interest unusual number of ministerial of the nation and universal hu- changes have taken place in this manity." We think the doctor is about forty years behind time. The mission board of the M. E. Chemission board of the M. E. Church in 1837-40 thought the tion in his family to relinquish the time had arrived to plant the stand- work, and John B. Denton of the ard of Methodism in Texas, and Beeville circuit was appointed elder sent Ruter, Fowler, Alexander, T.O. in his place. Alanson Brown was removed by Bishop Keener from ever, in the interests of the "nation" circuit, sent to San Antonio. Geo. but of Christianity. Again, The T. Freeman, of the Louisiana condoctor says: "It is worthy of men-tion that the future of Texas is to Bishop, and placed on the Legarto RockDALE, Milam Co., July 10. estimation "the North" is the inex- sion on account of meager sup- increasing. Bros. Wells and Norwould reply to this group of new-

it were true, Dr. Brush is forty to attend, but the Rockport work years behind time. The first pres- was represented by Rev. T. R. "RELATION OF THE M. E. CHURCH | ident of the first Methodist college Stewart. M. N. Shive, and J. C. son, educated at the Wesleyan gates to the annual conference. The next district conference meets

more of the stump than the pulpit. collections, notwithstanding the We contemplate holding a camp- 9.—The enterprising ladies of the bership wonderfully revived.—O. Second.—The second reason is that the M. E. Church is needed as an ed-ucator of the masses. We have said ucator of the masses. We have said ing preachers, two local preachers, porting plan. Arrangements will be pastor next year will not have to Warren to organize a mission in that the assumption that men must and four lay delegates present. E made for ministers, who are all in- live on the commons. They contem-ing, and H. A. Graves was unable 14.-Weather dry ; corn cut down

WATSON. insert Bro. Rose's name among

San Marcos District Conference.

We had a pleasant session at was occupied. When completed, ing is still in progress. Brothers Brothers Price and Cole have been -G. F. FAIR.

Dr. Brush refrains from such we do not give these items because school (Coronal Institute) made a sweeping charges. He does not we suppose the graduates of a even mention the M. E. Church, Northern institution are superior to the annual conference: S. R. New BETHEL, Gaudalupe Country, July 12th.—Had a good rain on the 10th; very gracious in our from the people, who came there menced at Independence last Sat-South; still there is the same self-satisfaction apparent in his article. The M. E. Church is nearly half a century too late to Texas, he says, because "the incu- introduce that peculiar kind of the most important appointment has been parched dry for so long quence was that they had to take at Cold Springs, on this circuit, Texas, he says, because "the incu-bus of moral death seems to press in the Market of the more than the fourth for the more the fourth saturday ing town, and destined to become in the more the fourth saturday of the more the fourth saturday ing town, and destined to become ing town, and town and upon the people. For years no exten- is because the M. E. Church is a (at no very distant day) a city of off, and without any one being siverevival has blessed the churches. temperance church. We will not some importance. The church is hurt. Let our ministers denude RockDALE, Milam County, July The great need of the country is a live church with an earnest and that Rev. James Younge, of the M. growing. Eight persons were re-live church with an earnest and that Rev. James Younge, of the M. growing. Cherokee Co., July 11. ADVOCATE present to its numerous ence at Liberty Hill. The attendlive church with an earnest and consecrated ministry." Considering the discussion in the missionary board of the M. E. Church as to the propriety of appropriating money the Austin Conference put together. visitor went away, hoping to have success,-GEO. M. JONES. an early opportunity to return. Bro. Harris, the pastor, is doing a CEDAR HILL, Walker Co., July war is progressing finely in that mons and Renfro, the meeting good work, and is highly and 12.-Crop prospects not good. We section; they are doing away with continued until Thursday nig justly esteemed by all. Next dis- have had two months' drouth. tobacco by cheating away at it. The and but for want of ministerior trict conference to be held at San We had no rains to do any good Conference was a wonderful help aid, would have lasted several days O. A. FISHER. from the 4th of May until the 4th to them in that direction. Our P. longer. The church was greatly of July. On the 4th and 5th of E., whom we all love so dearly, revived. The minister reports Our Dostal Cards. July we had good rains in this destroys every cigar he can get prospects bright for a good time neighborhood, but I understand hold of. On our way home one throughout the circuit. - Y. B. BENTON, Atascosa Co., Texas, that it was not general. The corn of the faculty of the South-western CAMPBELL. July 14 .- We have just closed an crop will be very light in this coun- showed me a box of " Havanas " he interesting meeting at Newton's ty; the cotton is small, but since was taking out of the way of the Health good. Have had rain in chapel. Had large and attentive the rain it is growing and fruiting dear young men of Liberty Hill. congregations. Brother Graham, well, and if we have favorable sea- -BAIRD. of the Arkansas Conference, was sons from now on, and a late fall, with us part of the time. It was a we may make a good crop of cot- ing whiskey?" asked an ardent try; God grant it may come soon. good meeting, though the results ton; but if the worm comes the temperance advocate of a confirm- Our third quarterly conference is were not as great as we had antici- last of August, as they have been ed toper. "Well, you see-hic-sir, over. Finances behind. Brethren, pated. The church was greatly in the habit of doing, the cotton the stuff killed my father, you will not God collect his claims on revived; conversions, four; acces- crop will be short in this county.- know, sir, and-hic-I'm determin- the people? Every good gift we sions, four; children baptized, J. G. JOHNSON. three.-T. J. THOMASSON. BRYAN, Brazos Co., July 11.--I ALVARADO Johnston Co. July have never during my twenty-five 11th.-Please Correct-In my card years' residence in the State known I left here for Bro. Stocking's camp- There is some prospects for a revival made me announce that my Camp preaching as now. We have held meeting on Island creek was to two meetings in the bounds of the commence Friday before the 2d mission-occasions of great power waiting to take me the remaining ple. Our law is all right, but it is be Friday before the first Sunday to our beloved Zion. On comparin August. We have an interesting ing notes with Bros. Phillpot and meeting on hand at Barnsville; Mickle, we find there have been twelve conversions to date. Our nearly one hundred added to the the broad arms of the friendly oaks. HIDALGO, Hidalgo Co., July 2.-Summers, Abel Stevens and others the San Antonio Station to Bee-campaign is fully commenced. church in the station, circuit, and Now, Bro. John, don't you think As our preacher in charge is a as missionaries to Texas; not, how- ville, and C. M. Rogers of Legarto Revival power present at several mission during the past two that a good number for the first Mexican, and does not understand points. Pray for us.-W. R. D. months. Oh, that these may all attain to the stature of perfect men and women in Christ Jesus. You tion that the future of Texas is to be largely moulded by immigra-Nueces river. F. T. Barnes, of the Nueces river. F. T. Barnes, of the Nueces river. S. T. Barnes, of the S. T. T. Barnes, of the S. T. T. Barnes, of the remember we started out to build tion from the North and the Old Rockport circuit, resigned his dale. We report now nine conver- have insured one at Wellborn, and World." The Old World is thrown in for buncombe. In the doctor's Vernor gave up the Oakville mis-vernor gave up the Oakville mis-v haustible source of intellectual cul- port, leaving the work unsupplied. wood, local preachers, are render- DISINTEGRATION AND ABSORPTION. shade and grass. The water is an itinerant minister; during the ture, a pure spirituality, and espe- The twelfth session of the Corpus ing good service. What could the -A correspondent in Northern highly impregnated with sulphur, short time that I was with him, cially of, so-called, loyalty. This Christi District Conference met in church do without the local min- Texas wishes to know what H. S. and according to general belief pos- he impressed upon my mind that cially of, so-called, loyalty. This assumption is arrogant and base-less, and its avowal exceedingly J. B. Denton in the chair, and H. offensive to the majority of the peo- S. Thrall, Sec. The interests and our local brethren realize the ex- sorption to use postal cards?" any thing in taste and smell, I but think when I parted with him plejof Texas. I am not disposed to the enterprises of the church were alted station they hold in the One side of a postal is a small yield the point at once. The meet- what a blessed thing it would use any harshness; if I were, I carefully reviewed. From reports church of God.-JNO. C. S. BAIRD. space, but in my estimation amply ing was an old-fashioned Methodist be if all State and Government CALVERT, Robertson Co., July 11. and to demolish such a "man of the shouts of praise that went up The frontier is suffering very comers from the borean regions, in ed from the severe drouth, and Waco district conference. The straw." Just after the war it was to our Heavenly Father, and many severely for want of rain. Weaththe language of Job: "No doubt while there had been some spirit- members on their arrival at Cal- reported that one of the Bishops of were the souls that were made er extremely hot. Some prospects ye are the people, and wisdom shall die with you." Dr. Brush gives three reasons why the M. E. gives three reasons why the M. E. pects of the country. Except in the in Calvert from Bro. Gassaway's We never saw the proposition in assistance, still what we lacked in the Lord of the vineyard may Church must be sustained in Texas: two stations—Corpus Christi and camp-meeting; fifteen persons had joined the church, and at least seen it noticed in a Northern paper presence, and I believe that I can ers filled with the Holy Spirit and of any considerable influence in but poorly paid; but they were that number had professed religion. except in terms of condemnation. safely say that no one was disap-with hearts burning with the love of any considerable influence in all the South. As this is entirely outside of the supposed sphere of church influence we pass it with-of the general collections ordered by the Conference; and we believe of the general collections ordered by the Conference; and we believe of the general collections ordered by the Conference; and we believe of the general collections ordered by the Conference; and we believe of the general collections ordered by the Conference; and we believe of the general collections ordered by the Conference; and we believe of the general collections ordered by the Conference; and we believe of the general collections ordered by the Conference; and we believe by the Conference; and we believe of the general collections ordered by the Conference; and we believe by the Conference; and we belie

Texas Christian Advocate ever, that the cry of loyalty savors there will be no falling off in those ENNIS, Limestone Co., July 10.-- WEATHERFORD, Parker Co., July the church; and the whole mem-

HIGHTOWER.

in Texas was Chauncey Richard- Thompson were elected lay deleto Sherman, Texas; old Gil. Ha- accessions to the church. The ven spouting political filth in the Methodist Sunday-school concert, TEXAS."son, educated at the Wesleyan
A late number of the New Yorkson, educated at the Wesleyan
University, by Dr. Fisk; his co-
adjutor was Rev. Charles W.
Brush, of the Austin conference of
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Brush and the Austin Conference of
Brush wants a meeting .- BAIRD.

> EASTLAND CITY, Texas, July 11. -The Lord has met with us in great power on Eastland circuit. Hurrah! for us. We are coming out ence. The Lord truly was with Our camp-meeting on Big Sandy of the kinks; Dr. Manning is build- his people, and they were made to was a glorious success; young and old feel the influence of the and jail Corn crops are injured full of glory. Several brethren Holy Ghost in His reproving pow- some, but better cotton crops were from a distance were with us, and er. Sinners are being convicted never known in this county. We did good service for the Lord. We and mourners converted, and chris- are now having refreshing showers have had some rain, and have tians sanctified. Several brethren of rain and religion all over the some hope of a good cotton crop. have fully consecrated themselves to the service of God. The meet-ing is still in progress. Brothers boys go to prayer-meeting here and pray like preachers.-J. F.

> > 10 .- Let me say to the brethren This meeting will be conducted on who were invited to attend the the self-supporting plan. Preach-

and they know exactly how to sick on Monday night, but through "iron a preacher." The tobacco the kindness of Bros. Artist,

Baylor county, I put my wife's trunk and bed into my wagon and set out for Baylor. We arrived in Seymore on the morning of the to half crop; general health good; G., C. & S. F. R. R. survey comple--Meeting at Hickory Grove clos-appointments for the future. An 4th: visited Friday and Saturday; operations. Corn crops extra good

> find out, there were about thirty conversions; 18 joined the church, HOMER, Angelina Co., July 8. two by letter, the others by experi-

> Rusk, Cherokee Co., July 11 .-Mount Comfort camp-meeting, on Cherokee circuit, East Texas con-RICHMOND, Fort Bend Co., July ference, commences August 1st.

LARISSA, Cherokee Co., July 11. portions of this county ; some places very dry. We need a shower ["Why will you persist in drink- of divine grace all over this counreceive comes from God. Our presiding elder, Bro. Adams, is loved by all. The seed that he is Took the cars to East Bernard Too many union Sunday-schools at some places in this county. and not enough of Methodist peonot practiced. The Texas Apvo-CATE is a power for good where it day? But that is not all; the the English language, I have connumber increased from day to day, cluded to write you a line. I had and Saturday night we presented the very unexpected pleasure of ered wagons were to be seen scat- special treasury agent, and one of tered over the grounds. The place the ADVOCATE's ablest corresponselected for the meeting afforded dents, whose articles I have been all the conveniences that could have reading for two years past, but been asked; plenty of water, wood, thought them the production of

STOCTON.

ed to 'stroy all of it I kin."]

RICHMOND, Fort Bend Co., July meeting on the West Bernard. eight miles. When we got to the grounds we found that tenters had preceded us there, for seven tents is read.-J. W. STUBBLEFIELD.

The Mexas Christian Advocate : Saturday, July 19, 1879.

Our Hostal Cards.

of the church. Some preachers pretty well supplied with eatables;

BASLROP, Bastrop Co., July 6 .-Our meeting closed last night; God be all the glory .- w.

of June the town of Fort Griffin Elder not present; fear he was was deluged with water. There sick.-WM. G. COCKE.

HILLSBORO, Hill Co., July 7 .--

We have just closed a meeting at church was very much revived. and one infant baptized. Others will join soon. Our pastor, Bro. Follen, is doing a great work on and all of God's people. We love and all of God's people. We love the services. Ten children the Bible do not find any more what can I say? The secretary of the conference, Prof. P. C. Bryce, will give you facts and figures. But I will venture to say a few and all of God's people. We love the services of the Baptist. Ten children the services of the services. School for the Baptist. Ten children the services of and all of God's people. We love the ADVOCATE.—G. E. SHERRARD. Lamb.—DAVIS.

HACKBERRY, Lavaca Co., July 9. about twenty-five conversions, with Our camp-meeting on Nixon creek twenty-one accessions to the church. continued for one week, and re-

FORT GRIFFIN, Shackelford Co., quarterly meeeting passed off with July 5.—On the night of the 20th some tokens for good. Presiding

RILEY.

WELLS. BEEVILLE, Bee Co., July 5.— Corpus Christi district conference local preacher present, and five lay delegates. Reports not very en-couraging as to the spiritual state of the church. Some preachers retty well supplied with eatables: HILLSBORO, Hill Co., July 7.— MAY. BEEVILLE, Bee Co., July 5.— Corpus Christi district conference local preacher present, and five lay church. I was assisted by Bro. Ed. in session ; eight itinerant and one couraging as to the spiritual state of the church. Some preachers of the August, seven miles south of Clinpretty well supplied with eatables; others make large drafts upon their faith. We are having a pleasant session.—H. S. T. BIRDSTON, Navarro Co., July 4. HILLSBORO, Hill Co., July 7.— We held a meeting at Willow, em-bracing the fifth Sabbath in June, with good results. About thirty-five professed faith in Christ, and were made happy in His love. The We held a meeting at Willow, em-bracing the fifth Sabbath in June, with good results. About thirty-five professed faith in Christ, and were made happy in His love. The

LIBERTY HILL, Williamson Co.,

how to record all things proper to twenty-one accessions to the church. We feel very grateful to the breth-ren who assisted us during the meeting. The church very much revived. Among the accessions to the church were some of the most prominent men in our town. To God be all the glory.—w. the church, and a general awakening on the subject of religion. Can't tell when the meeting will close.—J. K. LANE.

CALLAHAN COUNTY, July 4.-I crop cut short; there will be met with a warm reception. other, but we are praying for rain tiguous to Texana will take notice, for we hereby invite them all. We wish to make a great effort, in the add plentiful: people well be name of Christ, for the salvation of haved; no rowdyism; no speaking; ing to support the institutions of ley on Seymore creek, one-half a Rockwall, July 8.—Meeting at the hare ground. The time ground at the hare ground. The time ground is the hare ground. The time ground is a sufficiency of it be found? The soil is a beautiful sandy loam of at any time. If the master of the master of the hards high, bald fallen, branded M. the bare ground. The time was, Nor here. Quarterage for the past -an excellent farming country. should grow inhuman, and come even in my recollection, when the fourth, all told, amounted to \$9.29. Good freestone water can be had to hate him, he may send him far three infants baptized. I acknowl-edge with pleasure valuable ser-vices rendered by Z. Parker, Bible agent, David Campbell, P. C., of should now be changed into a day pare us all for that day.-F. C. and health good. I believe Baylor sistance. This is the case with a life the practice sometimes pre-vails of expressing the contempt a man's weakness or meanness Baylor county. The county will gravitation away from the home of vails of expressing the contempt time to procure cheap homes in Baylor county. The county will gravitation away from the home of desiring to establish a class of much desiring to estab I have just closed a protracted last Monday night. Notwithstand- priate nick-name. It would seem sox. that some of the contributors to twenty-five or thirty conversions, and fourteen accessions to the church; much existing discord was displaced by hormore, and the membership church; much existing discord was versions, and the membership displaced by harmony and the broken places mended. May the troublesome past be buried ion. May the people bathe in the waters of Methe until they shall ind themselves floating in a place of love on a sea of glory.—Loats. Russ, Cherokee Co., July 5.— Had a good rain to-day. Hop Bro. Johnson will give us a good all the chicknes; what will 1 found many prayer-meeting in our neighbor hood; s happy days. Many changes the prachers and prayer-meeting in our neighbor hood is happy days. Many changes friends who knew me in child an interest in the prayer-meeting. Our Sabharschool will be the the neighbour cour Baptist brethren take an interest in the prayer-meeting. Our Baptist brethren take an interest in the prayer-meeting. Our Baptist brethren take an interest in the prayer-meeting. Our Baptist brethren take an interest in the prayer-meeting. Our Sabharschool will be is heapy days. Many changes how daths chool will be the there are a project and provises of the prayer are at a full of information. The church came to our prayer meeting in our neighbor hood is happy days. Many changes friends who knew me in child an interest in the prayer-meeting. Our Sabharschool will be the there in the prayer-meeting. Our Sabharschool will be the there are an or coller the prayer and the prayer meeting in our neighbor hood is happy days. Many changes hard that here are bound and prayer are at the prayer and the prayer meeting our Baptist brethren take an interest in the prayer-meeting. Our Sabharschool will be the prayer and a proving and and prayer are bab and bash school will be there are annot the prayer and the pr circles, but with a refinement of Sometimes the time runs out, and banishment of His children. He hood ; our Baptist brethren take an interest in the prayer-meeting. Our Sabbath-school will be the means of some good here. Hope Ive with God. Here we have the TEXEX. WHITESBORO, Grayson Co., July 8.—At Elizabethtown, in Denton county, there is a doggery with this inscription: "The Road to

-seems to have been the principle nations, four. Sunday-schools, the unsearchable riches of Christ. preaching here in private cabins; of action. Result: bitterness, Methodist, six; union four. Water- Every copy is a schoolmaster to next in a frame house 18x20,

Mexican Customs

FORT WORTH, Tarrant Co., July 5.—Bro. Kahle, a transfer from the Holston Conference, assisted in a meeting at Alma, Fort Worth cir-cuit, and his friends, at its close, presented him with a horse, saddle and bridle, and \$20 in money. What saith "Patience?"—M. H. WELLS.

Lord in the strength of grace, With a glad heart and free."

CORPUS CHRISTI, Nueces Co., July 3. - Mexican Mission - On San Bowen, Prof. Dashiell and Dr. Juan's day, June 24, and San Pe-Mood. Before the benediction, we dro's also, June 29, our Mexican this place. The good Lord was only one description of the shouts of praise offered by joined the church; three adults and one infant baptized. Others —offered to Him who lireth and brother and one infant baptized. Others —offered to Him who lireth and brother and one infant baptized. Others —offered to Him who lireth and brother and brother and one infant baptized. Others —offered to Him who lireth and brother and brother and brother and brother and brother and brother and one infant baptized. Others —offered to Him who lireth and brother and brother and one infant baptized. Others —offered to Him who lireth and brother and brother and brother and brother and brother and one infant baptized. Others —offered to Him who lireth and brother brother and brother brother and brother and brother brother and brother brother brother brother and brother bro

FORT GRIFFIN, Shackelford Co., its neck, and the one on the fastest July 3.-Feeling more thoroughly horse taking it, and running with With a comprehensive course of study ; a comimbued with the missionary spirit it until some other catches up with petent Faculty; superior accommodations, and than ever before, I determined to him, then they have to pull at the reasonable terms. We invite consideration prepared for their work. No one visit the settlements on the out- poor rooster until they pull it to For further particulars, address was heard to murmur or complain. Quite a number of people have ited was on Hog Creek, northeast fane language before ladies, children 39-13t corner of Throckmorton county. Here I found a moral, industrious, enterprising people. This settle-ment is on the Pope county school lands, not yet on the market. The horses will get drunk, go to the fandango, or some other frolic; and I know there is more men, horses were the function of the market. The horses will get drunk, go to the fandango, or some other frolic; and I know there is more men, horses were the function of the market. The horses were and children who get killed Miss Mary J. Baldwin, Principal. Walker, of Moulton circuit, was with us to our profit. The third ple. The meeting is still going on; and the market. The third ple. The meeting is still going on; and the market. The third ple. The meeting is still going on; and the market. The third ple. The meeting is still going on; and the market. The third ple. The meeting is still going on; and the market. The third ple. The meeting is still going on; and the market. The third ple. The meeting is still going on; and the market. The third ple. The meeting is still going on; and the market. The third ple. The meeting is still going on; and the market. The third ple. The meeting is still going on; and the market. The third ple. The meeting is still going on; and the market is more men, water and health the market. The third ple. The meeting is still going on; and the market is more men, the market is more some conversions and additions to good. I preached several times at tion, by these vices, than at any this point. The people heard the other time in the year; and there sponding time in June following Word gladly—a grand field for Southern Methodism. From Hog creek I crossed over the Brazos thank God they don't come on Sun-was deliged with water. There were four inches of rainfall in on hour and a half. It was caused by a water-sport. The waters came down all in a rush. Two persons were drowned—a man and a little child. The town sustained a great loss—some \$4000. Wheat crops food. Health good...
 TEXANA, Jackson Co., July 7.— There will be a meeting at Texana, is still living. Wheat in this is still ming were four fifteen days ago, but is still living. Wheat in this is still were mounts from parties concellate neighborhood: a verraging from five to ten bushels per acro. Weather dry.—J, S. TUNNELL.

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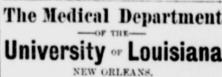


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day. We hope our ministers conthe people.-M. A. BLACK.

Rockwall closed; 22 conversions and 34 accessions to our church: Cyene circuit, and C. B. Fladger, of of frivolous mirth, and no attention STEPHENSON. Trinity circuit. Revival is still called to true patriotism.-GEO. W. going on in the community, being now under the care of the Baptist brethren.-JAMES McDUGALD.

meeting at Blue Ridge Result: ing the scarcity of preachers, we

ference.-JAS. F. WARD.

wrath, remembered mercy by re- 576,000 acres, more or less; about 261; number of books sold, 2139; here since that time (as well as I away from one evil habit which viving His work among His peo-ple. But few out of a great many sinners saved. Corn crop a failure decidedly better than the rich ously, 486; value of books distributed gratuit-ously, 486; value of books distributed gratuit-ously, 486; value of books distributed gratuit-ously, 486; value of books distrib-English, Adrew Cummings, Harvy how weak he is! Oh, the little sin,

will continue over the second Sun- Weather dry .-- J. S. TUNNELL.

EAGLE LAKE, July 10.-Our camp-meeting at Sulphur Springs

camp-ground, in Wharton county. Kosse, Limestone Co., July 4. which lasted eleven days, closed displaced by harmony and the of the church greatly revived. Bro.

sinners saved. Corn crop a failure there.—w. H. M. WHITESBORO, Grayson Co., July 10.—Fourteen members absorbed by the M. E. Church on the Denton circuit, at Denton creek appoint-ment. Mother church and South Mether in A congrege M

zealous workers, and doing much river to Seymore Town, the county water fifty cents and very scarce. good. Weather is very dry. Corn seat of Baylor county. Here I We have neither the one nor the

county to be the best county in man who is the slave of sin. Sin Northwest Texas. Southern Meth- is always inhuman, always hates A HINT .- In the lower walks of odist preachers will find a welcome its vassals. This very bondage of

> on this district, so far as I know. and chains; evermore, hopelessly. If I knew he would not see this Chains? Yes! Men hear them

ment. Mother church and South in preparation. Organized Meth- is a silent preacher, with a congre- May. Some of these men served ficaciously only as it reflects the -to get out the one into the other odist societies, six ; other denomi- gation of one person, preaching two or more years. We first had light of divine, heavenly truth." P.O. Drawer No. 4,

direst of the evils of being under the dominion of sin-banishment

8.—At Elizabethtown, in Denton county, there is a doggery with this inscription: "The Road to Ruin." We held a meeting there ror week, and left many in that way. Some, I fear, have about reached the end of their journey. God, however, in the midst of wrath, remembered mercy by re-winder Hammbered mercy by re-siding elder of this district. The church here seems alive. Hard thas been as follows: Days of ser-vice, 321; miles traveled on official duty, 3604; families visited by them, 3316; families found desti-tations and circuits. The names individuals supplied in addition, winder Hammber of books sold, 2139; winder Hammb

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1 Cor. xv; 50-58; Victory over death. Time-57 A. D.; Place-Ephesus; Rulers, Nero, Emperor of Rome; Felix, Governor of Judea; and Agrippa II, King of Chalcis and Galilee, GOLDEN TEXT.

Jesus said unto her I am the resurrection and the life: he that believeth in ME, though he were dead, yet shall he live. John xi : 25.

Among other heresies that rent the Christian church was the one that there was no resurrection. This may have been the fruit of Spirit. seed sown by Sadducees, colonists from Judea; or it may have been the cropping out of the old Epicurean and Stoic creeds of Greece. Be this as it may, it illustrates how deeply the roots of error will fasten verse 55. Having by anticipation they had made of that cat—"which and go your way unmindful of this themselves in the mind and heart, and how much of conversion is required to loosen them. To refute themselves in the mind and heart, and how much of conversion is required to loosen them. To refute the minded have been that cat which and go your way unminded of this was a whopper!" A neighbor, however, is reported to be a little once. As to the spiritual outlook we required to loosen them. To refute out, and his heart fills with grati-the wild vagaries of these Corin-tude to God, who gave us the vic-ting after a hog of his, and forcing it fear we may very justly suspect of which this lesson is a part. It the law. of which this lesson is a part. It is by far the ablest defense of the resurrection, and the most satis-brethren, be ye steadfast, unmove-At any rate, if the reader will and practical purity, and hence we resurrection, and the most satis-factory explanation of what the resurrection is, that is to be found in all God's revelation to man. He shows that there will be will be raised; and what will be-resurrection is to reject Christ. He shows that to deny the resurrection is to reject Christ. He shows that to deny the resurrection is to reject Christ. He shows that to deny the resurrection is to reject Christ. He shows that to deny the resurrection is to reject Christ. He shows that to deny the resurrection is to reject Christ. He shows that to deny the resurrection is to reject Christ. He shows that to deny the resurrection is to reject Christ. He shows that to deny the resurrection is to reject Christ. He shows that to deny the resurrection is to reject Christ. He shows that to deny the resurrection is to reject Christ. He shows that to deny the resurrection is to reject Christ. He shows that to deny the resurrection is to reject Christ. He shows that to deny the resurrection is to reject Christ. He shows that to deny the resurrection is to reject Christ. He shows that to deny the resurrection is to reject Christ. He shows that to deny the resurrection is to reject Christ. He shows that to deny the resurrection is to reject Christ. He word translated "beloved," is aga-resurrection is to reject Christ. He word translated "beloved," is aga-resurrection is to reject Christ. He word translated "beloved," is aga-resurrection is to reject Christ. He word translated "beloved," is aga-resurrection is to reject Christ. He word translated "beloved," is aga-resurrection is to reject Christ. He word translated "beloved," is aga-resurrection is to reject Christ. He word translated "beloved," is aga-resurrection is to reject Christ. He word translated "beloved," is aga-resurrection is to reject Christ. He word translated "beloved," is aga-resurrection is to reject Christ. He word translated "beloved," is aga-resurrection is to reject Christ. He word translated "beloved," is aga-resurrection is to reject Christ. He resurrection is to reject Christ. He most eloquently appeals to Christ's petoi, and derived from the word **most** eloquently appeals to Christ's petol, and derived from the word resurrection as the great historical fact for Christianity to anchor to; and then as eloquently argues the reasonableness and necessity for a resurrection. The materialist will hunt in vain for comfort in his argument for the material resurrection of the "flesh and blood" rection of the "flesh and blood" rection of the "flesh and blood" rection of the "flesh and blood" argument for the material resurrection of the "flesh and blood" rection the rection the rection of the "flesh and blood" rection the rection the rection the rection the rection the of our earthly bodies. In the labor means not only to toil, but about, and had no disposition to rudiments. Leavening all things words of our present lesson, he reaches the climax of his trium-uneasiness and anxiety; "vain:" do so merely pour passer le temps. The round was completed at Gid-mond cutting but being cut of the phant argument, declaring how we will lie down in the corruption of death, to be raised in glorious incorruption; how the mortal will enter heaven, so unholy thoughts so much so. Looking from the become immortal; and how death will be swallowed up in the victo- in a pure heart, nor can the spirit serious character for complaint. rious resurrection to life eternal.

V. 50. "Now this I say, brethren, that flesh and blood can not inherit the kingdom of God; neither doth corruption inherit incorruption.' "Now :" should be, but ; " flesh and blood :" our earthly bodies ; ' can not inherit :" can not possess; "kingdom of God:" heaven: "neither doth corruption inherit incorruption :" nor can our montal bodies become immortal.

V. 51. "Behold I show you a

sees death slain, the keeper of the relate? Soon the mystery is "Giddings Memorial Church." West Fork mission, August 9, 10 "grave," Hades, the Sheol of the solved. A young man, galloping The preachers of the different charges in the district have their Decature (t, August 23, 24 District conference convenes at Montagu Texas Christian Advocate sees death slain, the keeper of the relate? Soon the mystery is "Giddings Memorial Church." Henrietta mission, August 2, 3 West Fork mission, August 9, 10

Christ.

APPLICATION.

and passions can not find shelter temporal side we have no cause of

think that when the curtain of Several very neat edifices which darkness shall be lifted from the were in the course of erection have last mystery, we shall awake in the been completed, and others are likeness of our Redeemer, and that going forward, and arrangements and slumber, may he say unto us, we are not to sleep an eternal are made to continue the good sleep, as the infidel would have us work in the fall. Some of these believe.

52. The final change, the final nesses to the enterprise and libertriumph, will be in a moment. To ality of the communities they rep-be raised "incorruptible," we must resent. Caldwell, Cedar Creek,

Old Testament, the intermediate up to Bro. E-'s house, where we charges in the district have their state, he sees also the righteous were stopping, in a voice husky work well in hand, and are, in the July 17, at 9 A.M. dead arise to life, and he hears with excitement, said: "Mr. main, doing well. Up to the close HUNTSVILLE DISTRICT-THIRD ROUND.

dead arise to life, and he hears their mighty shout of victory. Good conquers evil; light dissi-pates darkness; and life reigns instead of death. V. 55. "The sting of death is sin; and the strength of sin is the law." "Sting of death: " weapon of death; "sin:" a knowledge of a violated law: "the strength of sin:" the dogs won't take him! Oh! the brethren on the different mislaw; "the strength of sin:" the the dogs won't take him! Oh! the brethren on the different misforce of sin. The meaning would he's a whopper, sir." The gun sions, owing to the fact that seem to be that the intended re-straints of the law intended re-was handed over, and the man the Conference Missionary Treas-Whitesboro ct, at Whitesboro, Thursday at 10 straints of the law give force to sin; dashed away. Bro. E— was rest-"law:" all God's commandments, less, and when he could stand it drafts. And I would take this oc-"law:" all God's commandments, whether in Revelation or impress-ed on our hearte by the Halp

tory here referred to is evidently did not appear very eager to give cheered and their hands strength-the victory over death, as given in information as to what disposition ened. Brethren, do not read this

about, and had no disposition to do so merely pour passer le temps. The round was completed at Gid-dings on last Sunday. The out-look in some respects not altogether and in other respects not al 50. As "flesh and blood" can not and in other respects not altogether direction thus indicated, may be of love occupy a wordly heart. Our people are much quickened on spiritually. But we may find much 51. It is a blessed thought to the subject of church building.

buildings are very creditable wit-

conform our lives to the will of Giddings and Brenham are entitled mystery; we shall not all sleep, but we shall be changed." "Be-hold:" lift up your eyes and see; "I show:" I utter or tell; "A to special mention in this respect. the general style of its architecture several quarterly conferences and govern them selves accordingly. E. S. SMITH, P. E. 54. As Christ led captivity cap-tive, when He rose from the dead, pletion. When finished it will GALVESTON DISTRICT-THIRD ROUND. so will every follower of His, when find only one other frame to com- St. James', Galveston, July 19, 20 "we shall be changed:" we that are alive at the last shall be made other beings. V. 52. "In a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trump; for the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be raised incor-and the dead shall be changed." So will every to how the trumpet shall be changed." So will every to how the trumpet shall be changed." So will every to how the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be changed." So will every to how the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be changed." So will every to how the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be changed." So will every to how the trumpet shall be changed." So will every to how the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be changed." time; "in the twinkling of an eye;" sting of death from the heart of gance to any we have this side of as quick as one movement of an man, and render harmless the pen- Galveston, and it will suffer little, if any, in a comparison with that eye-lid; "at the last trump:" the trumpet of the *last* day; "the trumpet shall sound:" the trum-pet will surely sound—adeclaration if any, in a comparison with that on the corner of Broadway and Bath. It is a massive brick, with stone foundation, occupying a space that the world knows not of, and can secure a victory over his evil on the corner of Broadway and Bath. It is a massive brick, with stone foundation, occupying a space SOx55 feet, with basement 14 feet pet will surely sound—a declaration without an *if* or a contingency; "the dead shall be raised incor-ruptible:" another positive delara-tion without one single element of doubt; "we shall be changed:" we, all alive at the last day, will be without an *if* or a contingency; can secure a victory over his evil 80x55 feet, with basement 14 feet "the dead shall be raised incorwe, all alive at the last day, will be so changed as to be rendered fit for bearen. V. 53. "For this corruptible must so much for us, has not exhausted being cut down by vestibule, choir the resources of His bounty. 58. How many are "steadfast" department, etc. The order of architecture is composite, with the tal must put on immortality." 58. How many are "steadfast" architecture is composite, with the "This corruptible:" the mortal body alive at the last day; "must:" unsettle them; "unmoveable," so will be handsomely trimmed with expresses an absolute necessity; "put on:" be clothed with; "in-to assail them; and "abounding in to assail them; and corruption :" a state of exemption from decay and impurity; " this there are no self-denials required of has certainly displayed excellent from decay and impurity; "this there are no self-definits required of has certainly durability in the design and durability is not subject to know that earnest, persistent both in the design and durability woodville cir, at Spurgerville. 3d Sunday in July from decay and impurity, this mortal:" this perishable nature; "immortality:" not subject to death. V. 54. "So when this corruptible V. 54. "So when this corruptible Newton cir, 2d sunday in July both in the design and durability of the structure. The tower will excel, in its general beauty, any-thing of the kind we have noticed, Libery or at Shiloh, 2d Sunday in August Libery or at Shiloh, 2d Sunday in August Libery or at Shiloh, 2d Sunday in August tion, and this mortal shall have that Christ's love in the heart gives rising from the southwest corner of Mo tion, and this mortal shall have put on immortality, then shall be brought to pass the saying that is written : death is swallowed up in written: death is swallowed up in every Christian be steadfast, that supported by heavy abutments to victory." The apostle here declares he may have a right to the resur- the full height of the masonry, victory." The apostle here declares that when this miraculous change takes place, as each mortal emerges lesson. takes place, as each mortal emerges lesson. takes place, as each mortal emerges lesson. the may have a right to the resur-the resur-the resur-the run height of the masonry above the roof and thereby avoiding the the roof and thereby avoiding the phecy contained in Isaiah xxv: 8, and Hosea xiii: 14; "that death is swallowed up in victory." Then will life have perpetual dominion over death; then will the graves give up their dead, and there will and there will and there will here will over death; then will the graves will life have perpetual dominion over death; then will the graves give up their dead, and there will be no more death. V. 55. "O, death, where is thy sting? O, grave, where is thy vic-tory?" Paul, in his ecstatic tri-umph, sweeps through life and its conflicts to the grand victory, where he sees death as some monstrous he sees death as some monstrous and venomous reptile with a dead-ly sting annihilated; and as he news is it they seem so anxious to brother for whom it is to be called, Maryville et. July 26, 27

at Montague

SHERMAN DISTRICT-THIRD ROUND.

whether in Revelation or impress-ed on our hearts by the Holy Spirit. V. 57. "But thanks be to God, which give thus the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ." The vic-tory here referred to is evidently did not appear yory events for the the construction of the spin o

SULPHUR SPRINGS DIST .- THIRD ROUND. Emory cir, at Union Ridge. 1st Sunday in July Gilmer cir, at Soul Chapel. 2d Sunday in July Sulphur Bluff cir, at Sulphur Bluff, 3d Sunday in July

Pittsburg cir. at Leesburg, 4th Sunday in July Greenville sta, 1st Sunday in August White Rock cir, at White Rock, 2d Sunday in the wild vagaries of these Corin-thians, Paul gives us the chapter the law. the wild vagaries of these Corin-thians, Paul gives us the chapter the law. to take to the bush to "save its ourselves of much lack. Spirit-the law. to take to the bush to "save its ourselves of much lack. Spirit-the law. to take to the bush to "save its ourselves of much lack. Spirit-the law. to take to the bush to "save its ourselves of much lack. Spirit-the law. to take to the bush to "save its ourselves of much lack. Spirit-the law. to take to the bush to "save its ourselves of much lack. Spirit-the law. to take to the bush to "save its ourselves of much lack. Spirit-the law. to take to the bush to "save its ourselves of much lack. Spirit-the law. 26, at 9 o'clock, a. m.

JEFFERSON DISTRICT-THIRD ROUND.

WEATHERFORD DIST .- THIRD ROUND.

GEORGETOWN DIST .- THIRD ROUND. corgetown and Round Rock, at Georgetow

July 5, 6 Sugar Loaf, at Pleasant Hill, July 12, 13 Belton sta, July 19, 29 Georgetown cir, at Orgain's Chapel, Jul Rockdale cit. San Gabriel cit. Rockdale cit. San Gabriel cit. villa, at Lebanon campgroun The District Conference wi Liberty Hill, at 9 a. m. ca. The 1859, Let all the delegates com dale, San Gabriel, Salado and

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I have just completed the second are no palpable infringements upon WAXAHACHIE DISTRICT.-THIRD ROUND

taken as the TEST of our spirituality. If this be true we can give no ity. If this be true we can give no very flattering account of ourselves spiritually. But we may find much to chasten our spirits and challenge our energy. O Lord, send forth thy light and thy spirit upon us. Or if He pass by and see us in our sins if He pass by and see us in our sins and their horses. "live!" Amen. T. W. ROGERS.

Church Rotices. AUSTIN DISTRICT .- THIRD ROUND.

mystery; we shall not all sleep, mystery:" a truth concealed ; in Christ. "we:" the whole human race; "shall not sleep :" shall not die ;

"In a moment:" in an atom of eye-lid; " at the last trump :" the alty of the law.

put on incorruption, and this mor- the resources of His bounty.

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LaGrange sta, Aug 23, 24

MARSHALL DISTRICT .- THIRD ROUND.

Henderson and Church Hill, at Church Hill,

SAN AUGUSTINE DIST .- THIRD ROUND.

Buena Vista, at Marvin's Chapel, July 6, 7 Buena Vista, at Marvin's Chapel, July 6, 7 San Augustine, at San Augustine, July 11, 12 Melrose, at Nacogdoches, July 19, 20 Carthage sta, Aug 23, 24 Shelby, at Asbury chapel. Aug 30, 31 Milam, at Milam, Sept 6, 7 Linn Flat, at Pine Grove. Sept 13, 14 Present Grove at Union Chapel. Sept 20, 21

-----BEAUMONT DISTRICT .- THIRD ROUND.

PARIS DISTRICT .- THIRD ROUND.

J. FRED COX, P. E. and 3d of August. -TEXANA DISTRICT-THIRD ROUND.

Halletsville cir, July 5 Lavacca mis, June 19

Moulton cir, July 26 The Texana District Conference will convene at Mossy Grove camp-ground, July 10, at 2 ssy Grove camp-ground, July 10, at k A. A. KILLOUGH, P. E. o'clock CORSICANA DISTRICT-THIRD ROUND.

Marquez mis, at Tacker's School-house, July 5, 6 Buffalo cir, camp-ground, July 12, 13 Thornton cir, at Thorn Hill, July 26, 27 Centerville cir, at Leona, Aug 2, 3 North Leon cir, at Ringold, Aug 9, 10 District Conference at Groesbeck, July 16, Jas, MACKEY, P. E.

BRECKENRIDGE DIST .- THIRD ROUND. tell Plains mis, South Pecan, 3d Sunday

July Taylor mis, South Pecan, 3d Sunday in July Coleman mis, South Pecan, 3d Sunday in July The District Conference will convene at South Pecan, on Wednesday, July 16, a 9 o'clock, J, G, WARREN, P. E.

DALLAS DISTRICT-THIRD ROUND. Grapevine cir, July 5, 6 McKinney and Van Alstyne, July 12, 13 Plano cir, July 26, 27 The District Conference will begin Thursday.

o'clock a. M., July 24, at Plano. The opening sermon by Bro, Snea, at 11 o'clock. The camp-meeting at White Rock, (Clark & Bryan camp-ground), will begin August 22. The editors are earnestly invited. W. H. HUGHES, P. E.

SAN ANTONION DISTRICT-THIRD ROUND.

Kerrville cir. at Brownsboro, July 5, 6 Junction mis. July 12, 13 Mason and Brady mis, July 19, 20 District Conference at Center Point, Kerr county. Camp-meeting commences on Thurs-day, before the 4th Sabbath in July, at 10 o.clock. W. T. THORSBERRY, P. E.

. SAN MARCOS DISTRICT-THIRD ROUND.

Gonzales cir, at Denton's Creek, July 5, 6 Thompsonville cir, at H: II's school house, July

12, 13 Mountain City eir, at Wimberly's, July 19, 20 Seguin sta, July 26, 27 San Marcos sta, August 2, 3 The District Conference will meet at Luling, on Thursday, June 26, at haif past seven. P. M. Let every pastor see that the quarterly confer-ence journal is present for examination as the Discipline directs. O. A. FISHER, P. E.

CORPUS CHRISTI DIST .- THIRD ROUND. The District Conference for Corpus Christi District will convene at Beeville Thursday, July 3, at half past three o'clock. Let the breth-ren all be on hand, and the preachers come in the broken of the blocking of the growtal of fulness of the biessing of the gospel ist. JNO. B. DENTON, P. E.

STEPHENSVILLE DIST .- THIRD ROUND,

Jonesboro cir, July 5, 6 Duffan cir, July 12, 13 Meridian cir, July 19, 20 Stephensville cir, July 26, 27 Stephensville and Corinth sta, at Corinth, August 2, 3

The District Conference for this district will convene at Cove Springs, eight miles west of the town of Meridian, July 16, at 9 o'clock a. m. J. P. MUSSETT, P. E. -

COMANCHE DISTRICT .- THIRD ROUND. Llano, at Honey Creek, July 5 San Saba, at Wallace, July 19 Mountain mission, July 26

District Conference at Lower Christian San Saba county, August 14, at 9 a. m. C. H. ELLIS, P. E.

San Saba, Texa

WACO DISTRICT-THIRD ROUND.

WACO DISTRUCT-THURD ROCKS. Bremond cir, 1st Sunday in July Kosse cir, 2d Sunday in July Mt. Vernon cir, 3d Sunday in July Wheelock cir, 4th Sunday in July District Conference will convene at Calvert, embracing the 1st Sabbath in August; confer-ence will convene Thursday before, at 90 clock, a. m. Sermon Thursday night by Sam P. Wright. May we have a full attendance. THOS. STANFORD, P. E.

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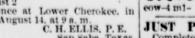
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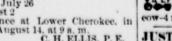
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Springs, and the Methodist church, the shadows of death. upon the prosperity and promise of the District Conference High School. He said the hour is re- held in our Christian (?) schools same, and is adapted to unscientific plete with delight, interest and instruction: Delight to the student, ligion should be excluded from ordinary interpretation would have in anticipation of the renewed ensons presented.

LIGHT.

Light is the all-felt want of humanity-the light of knowledgethe light of truth.

form and void, the Creator moved shall be restricted to the considerupon the face of the waters, and first ation of the narrow and selfish Garden of Eden, as he passed of this life, and never aspiring to through its gates and turned to an eternity beyond. look back upon the receding beauty and glory, the cry of his moral clouds of ignorance, and all mem-ory of the past and all hope of the self-defense, we must cultivate the It must form a literature clothed if he should. future seemed forever lost, the cry minds and hearts of our youth in in spirituality and mantled in the

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should be enkindled the vestal fires The uneducated Christian shapes The doctor began by congratu- of Christianity that casts its rays to lating the citizens of Sulphur the verge of the grave and dispels of Bible language, and does not

SEMI-INFIDEL PHILOSOPHY.

The semi-infidelity so long up--that the inculcation of re- minds. This blind adhesion to the our halls of learning-is passing stifled sublime astronomy in her other. It is a dogma of Roman- bidden her brow the garland science in the South after the war because paper entertains for temperance

and sustained and advocated by infidelity.

When the earth was without the education of their children earth from the control and provi- plea of ostracism at the South, will furnish the former in defense of proclaimed, "Let there be light." aims of fallen natures, circum- of mind and of matter.

MODERN SCIENCE.

boundless universe which infidelleave the heart to become a barren ity has not directed against the waste, whilst the mind is adorned citadel of Christianity, and perhaps with the graces of literature and none has been more heavily would persuade the very laws of of truth in this contest.

> THE NECESSITY OF BIBLE INSTRUC-TION.

The necessity of Bible instruction to the masses exists in the Upon the altar of the heart ordinary construction of Scripture. his conception of things so as to conform to the usual construction rope, consider that science, in its progressive development, must employ new terms, whilst the language of Christians cannot consent that in its powers, could cut loose the circles, North, on this martyr-like WATER."-"List of the orators who

the weapons of science, wage a worthy of consideration-social successful war against the author of mind and of matter. D. Cummings would not prove an nently identified with the crusad-

PLIED.

Jexas Christian Advocate common schools. Our duty, relation seeks in the infinite the beginning book, and our system of education THE Richmond Advocate will

WE note the death of Dr. Alexfalse sentiment? ander Clarke, editor of the Method-

ist Recorder, Pittsburg, Pa. He enriched with the treasures of charged with error than the ma- died at the residence of Gov. Col- in many portions of Texas. Will premises. His long experience, terial universe. Wicked man quitt, Atlanta, Ga., on the evening the brethren please remember that and great natural capabilities of July 7. Dr. Clarke was a bril- the ADVOCATE ought to be placed make him most competent to denature to disdain allegiance to liant writer. As fraternal delegate in the household of every convert. termine the disposition, peculiariject presented more forcibly than was done by Dr. A. G. Clopton, of Jefferson, Texas, in his address ary of religion and purified by its lasting impression, not only as to not deserve the name of a religious musical department. She is simhis ability, but as to his deep journal. There is no better time ply without a superior, and this Christian love, liberality and char-ity. Dr. Clarke was an author of CATE than during camp-meetings gratulate Sherman and North Tex-cate than during camp-meetings gratulate Sherman and North Texno mean distinction. His prin- and revivals. Will the brethren as on this acquisition. They need cipal works are: "The Old Log School-house," "School Day Dia-

logues," "Work Day Christianity," A NUN has just effected her North Texas Female College. Dr. "Starting Out," "Ripples on the escape from the convent of Claris- Pitts and family leave many strong River," "Summer Rambles in Eu- ses, at Cambrai. She took the vail friends at Chappell Hill. He and the "Gospel in the twenty-six years ago; but in a makes this move with the full con-Trees." The last-named book, the short time found out that she had currence of the board of trustees 'Gospel in the Trees," is just issued made a mistake, and implored per- of Chappell Hill College, who from the press of Hitchcock and mission to return to her home, but adopted the most complimentary Waldon. It is scarcely before the was carefully guarded for twenty-public ere its brilliant author five years, when she escaped through ing his retirement from the presipasses over the river to rest under the breach made in a wall some dency of that institution. the shades.' masons were repairing. This is a

specimen of Romish toleration. THE N. Y. Christian Advocate tells dence of its governor, and seizing many of whom are not really the latter."

When man was banished from the scribed in its view to the horizon How THIS NECESSITY IS TO BE SUP- exception if his Southern record ers against liquor sellers in New were hunted up. The plea of os- ark, N. J., was recently waylaid The question arises how is this tracism on account of church or and brutally assaulted. An arrestnecessity to be supplied? Indi- political affiliations is at any rate ed party confessed to being emvidual effort can not do it. This absurd. It has served in many in- ployed to "give McNair a black Modern science has enlisted un- reaches only the educated classes. stances as a convenient excuse for eye" because "he had bothered nature was, "Let there be light." When intellect was buried in the clouds of ignorance, and all mem-clouds of ignorance, and all mem-clouds of ignorance, and all mem-

E. D. PITTS, D. D.-From our and obligation to God embrace all of all things; or else, lost in the shall blend science and religion- now have a chance to prove where advertising column, it will be SHAW & BLAYLOCK - - Publishers. the duties, obligations and rela- obscurity of nature, tortures his when the harps of science, in har- is the fallacy in the proposition seen Dr. Pitts has accepted mind to frame a thousand themes mony with revelation, shall send that we should say naught but the presidency of the North tions of life incumbent upon us as to account for her phenomena. up to the throne of Jehovah one good of the dead. Bro. Lafferty is Texas Female College. We have I. G. JOHN, B. D.Editor.good of the dead. Bro. Lafferty isTexas Female Concege. It conceptsAssociate Editors.individual members of society and
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the idea that we should not speak does not reconcile these must be we will be a free, happy and pros- the truth about the dead as well as severance and Christian devotion perous people, presenting to the the living. Is extreme charity to to the cause of education. We say There is no artillery in the political sublimity. H. dead—whose examples live after done his whole duty in the matter dead-whose examples live after done his whole duty in the matter them-the result of good sense or of a daughter's education when he has placed her in the charge of Dr. Pitts-giving him full liberty to

A HINT .- Revivals are reported use his own judgment in the entertain no fear as to the perma-

nent and prominent success of the

"IT is a fact," Bishop Haven joyments of home-to the teacher, away under the advancing light of It has denied to religion the rich ly of South Carolina), who went zations of Indiana began their colored man, over a large portion says, " that there is no protection in exhibiting the result of his Christianity. It artfully arrays offering which nature designed to North to secure social advantages jubilee at LaPorte on the 15th. To of the South, in any question that science and religion against each sacrifice upon her altar; and for- for his children-"being ostracised show the respect the average news- involves his labor. In one part of ism engrafted upon Protestantism, would have woven-an adherence he became identified with the M. reforms, we have only to quote the not making any contracts last winarising apparently from the absurd E. Church and supported the gener- Chicago Times' head-lines over ter because of the oppressive conapprehension that hunan intellect, al government." Numbers of people the list of orators for the forty-five ditions to which they had to subfinite in its means and subordinate have been admitted into high social days' meeting, to-wit: "WIND AND mit. When they had gathered part of the crops, they said, the white men did not respect the contract." The above is what Bishop Haven said recently to a reporter of the Boston Traveler. Of course it is impossible for Brother Bloodyshirt to keep out of print, and this s but a fair specimen of the manner in which he gratifies his ambition at the expense of truth. We are a little curious to know, however, why he stopped short in his tirades against Texas. Since this paper exposed his manifest malice, "want of accuracy in statement," (this is the mild way of putting it) Bishop of intellectual nature was, "Let there be light." And now, from every class of humanity—from the every class of humanity—from the doctrinal topics, is an absolute ne- ex-editor, and extraordinary bishop cessity, now that the publishing of the M. E. Church has permitted a Texas paper to "dry up" the fountains of his putrid, though fertile. imagination as to Texas horrors? or was the mirror held so close to his mental vision that he had a glimpse of the littleness, the meanness, the prejudice, the falseness. the hate, the venom, that influenced him in all he wrote of us, and, thus seeing, did he cease for very shame? We trust our readers will pardon us for putting the questions so bluntly. The fact is, when Bishop Haven is the subject, we always feel like writing in italic ! CATHOLIC authorities are a little divided as to what became of that poor old man, Pope Pius IX, when he departed this mundane sphere. One party claim his immediate and triumphant entrance into Parvaded to an alarming extent by a Ours has been happily styled a crease of zeal and liberality in Enfrom the Virgin Mary, was handshaken by St. Joseph, honored by music from the choir led by St. Peter, and regaled by the concerts of fifty-two saints and twenty-six "blessed" who owe their positions in heaven to him. The other party do not believe he had the necessary spiritual strength to jump purgatory, but that he stayed his season there, according to the reg-ular Catholic programme. People who have thoroughly studied the history of "P. P. IX" entertain an opinion not in consonance with either of the above : They think THE Southern Methodist, published that, unless in his later moments

versal cry, " Let there be light."

WE MUST EDUCATE.

To educate is the mission of society. Educate the child of poverty as of wealth, that all may has achieved over human intellect become the conservators of peace and the advocates of truth.

graded by abject poverty, possesses truths to the most benighted intelmore than a body-an intellect which allies it to the inhabitants of the spirit land, and constitutes to the mind? more refining to the glory and happiness of its the taste? more buoyant to the nature ;-- a soul which must be imagination? or more ennobling trained for human society, and the to the soul? employments of eternity, and possessing chords within itself that may be tuned to the highest practical atheism. It acknowl- government of checks; but one glish Methodism. melody and set in unison with the edges a God, but does not recog- check, not intrinsic in its organizmay be tuned to the highest harmony of the spheres.

YOUTH AND MANHOOD.

and brightness of youth contrast moralist, but sets aside the pre- lot-upon that demagogueism, with the darkness and solicitude cepts of righteousness as a dead which is everything to all men. But, which gather around the rough letter. realities and rougher oppositions The Bible as a text book only perfect embodiment of a cor-

ows; but just ahead are alpine cational system. heights to climb, deep valleys to descend, rough and turbid streams to cross. Now the calm sunshine : soon the bleak gathering of the coming storm. Now the smooth his study, and adapted to his instream; soon the billowy ocean.

OBJECT OF EDUCATION.

certain disappointments-to pur- been done to enhance man's temthrough adversity and prosperity; that the moral sentiment arising neither overcome by temptation, therefrom might correspond with the manifestation of his glory? nor seduced by pleasurable sin.

should be the great aim of educa- the purposes of religion. tion. In this, everything else is embraced.

THE BIBLE AS A TEXT-BOOK. Religious culture should be a

every class of humanity-from the text-book in our schools. That noble and the ignoble, from the time will come, and its introduc- enlightened Christianity. Then, cancies caused by deaths, removals, deepest recesses of society-there tion into the academic grove will and not till then, will science take emigration, etc.-the number of goes up in thunder tones the uni- attest the increased faith of the her true position as the handmaid new members added during the Christian world in the allied con-of religion. By the introduction year being 30,000. The cause as-of the Bible into our system of signed for the net falling off is the nection of science and religion. BIBLE TRIUMPHS.

attest its power to lead captive the

genius and learning of the world ; The waif on the way-side, de- and evince a capacity to adapt its lect, and reveal in its conceptions the most towering thought. What book is more expanding

nize the supremacy of his moral government.

It squares the relations between How vividly does the buoyancy men by the rule and line of the spirit-upon the frauds of the bal-

rect moral philosophy - would society and degrades the national Youth treads upon green mead- change the character of our edu- character. It invades the church,

NATURE.

infinite improvement, and created ple upon the moral law, as they a material universe-the subject of do upon the Constitution. vestigating mind. Upon every

atom is to be traced the divine The object of education should design and purpose. Throughout

WHAT OUR SCHOOLS ARE DOING.

of knowledge is not taught to take tuous people. prominent feature in our system of the throne of God as his point of departure upon his voyage of ex-

which to operate. Let this be an 3,308. This is after filling up vaeducation, giving it tone and char- almost universal depression in all acter, how much perversion of the commercial, manufacturing The triumphs which the Bible human intellect to wicked pur- and mining operations of the poses, how much wasted strength, country-these causes superinduchow many wrecks of immortal ing a vast immigration to America, hopes might have been prevented ! New Zealand, Australia and Cana-

supply a diffusion of mental and source of gratification. Forty years moral education to the people, and thus enable them to fulfil the mis-London, now there are thirty-six. sion of their national existence. America stands high among the London sittings for not forty nations. Her mission is the spread thousand people; there are now of civil and religious liberty.

ation, is wanting-an enlightened piety-a proscription upon the passion and prejudice of party

alas! America has been bowing to The Bible as a text-book-the false gods and is drifting to oppression. A practical atheism pervades infests the government, and pollutes the people. Our people are God has endowed man with losing their veneration for the intellect and reason capable of national honor. Our officials tram-

> Theft in high places no longer forfeits social and political position.

be to prepare man to brook these the finger of God. Has all this change of political rulers will not and cultivated young minister change of political rulers will not and cultivated young minister be sufficient. The same influences will not and cultivated young hands to bless the will work upon any party in power. church with his labors. excellent journal until January 1 for 50c. See the manager's offer elsewhere. derers, callis the officers, callis the sue the even tenor of his way poral happiness alone, or rather will work upon any party in power. church with his labors. war is incompatible with civil THE Christian Messenger (Campliberty. The remedy is in knowl- bellite), Bonham, finds a "sad com-Our Christian parents and teach- edge-sanctified knowledge. Relief mentary on the modern way of To understand our relations and ers must learn that science, like must be found in a moral revolu- doing things," in the report of a duties, as creatures, to our Creator everything else, is subservient to tion that will restore the national Methodist revival which stated virtues. Free institutions must be perpetuated, not by the sword, but were left at the altar." Please do Our schools are daily sending by the silent yet powerful opera- not be alarmed, Bro. Burnett. A forth infidels to curse society. The cised by an enlightened and vize have any weeping penitents. youthful mariner upon the ocean cised by an enlightened and vir- ly have any weeping penitents.

PROPHECY.

And now, contemplating the the last Nashville Advocate as just for books. We are compelled to this course education, or, in other words, the Bible should be a text-book in our wave of apparent cause, ceived in our schools as a text- short attack of illness.

POLITICAL NECESSITY. Our temples of learning should English Methodism is, however, a Previous to 1861 there were in accommodations for 100,000 in OUR SYSTEM OF EDUCATION. OUR SYSTEM OF EDUCATION. Our system of education is per-oppressed has been heard and felt. Methodist churches. Thus, while there is a numerical decrease, every indication points to an in-

REV. DR. WENTWORTH, in a communication in the N. Y. Christian Conference of the M. E. Church Advocate. imitate the example of the Pres-byterians, and let each member in 1880 will number at least 400, sion.

THE many friends of R. T. Nahis own language, his "throat has advertisement. broken down." He passed through We clamor for a change ; but how Galveston the past week en route

house does not sell many doctrinal works, and some of our preachers are tender-footed. Under such a regime, is it strange that our members are proselyted?

BISHOP KEENER attended commencement at Centenary College. After the Seashore camp-meeting and "some district conferences," he will leave about August 10 for the West-Colorado, California and Oregon. This item is gleaned from the N. O. Advocate. It does not say whether the "some district conferences" will be in Texas.

REV. Z. Paddock, M. E. Church, died at Binghampton, N. Y., July 4th. He has been a preacher since 1818-holding effective relations fifty-two years, five on circuits, twenon districts. He was an extensive

writer for the press, and was at one time editor of the Auburn Banner, Advocate proposes that the General afterward the Northern Christian

THE Jeannette passed through the defray his own expenses, to be re- Golden Gate, July 8th, to make "a paid by the church at large, in- dash for the North Pole." This, stead of being quartered for months though a private American enteron a generous public. In 1876 prise, is more thoroughly equipped that conference was composed of and admirably fitted for the trip 222 ministerial and 133 Lay Dele- than any government expedition gates : Total, 355. The Conference that has ever sailed on a like mis-

bors will regret to learn that he is at Louisville, is a good paper. You the grace of God visited him, he compelled by affliction to take a can get it one year for \$2, or on neither went straight to heaven, or short respite from labor. To use trial three months for 25c. See had time to stop in purgatory.

> rocate know the definition of "en- comforts the desponding, blesses terprise." They will give you that the high-minded, guides the wan-

> BISHOP WIGHTMAN is at home in Charleston. In a few weeks he will take his family to the mountains of North Carolina where he will leave them while he makes a prince. So God chooses His jewtour among the churches.

BOOKS.-Will the brethren please bear in BISHOP MCTYEIRE is reported by mind that the money should accompany orders SHAW & BLAYLOCK

PRAYER blots out sins, repels OUR friends of the St. Louis Ad- temptations, quenches persecutions, them that stand.

> THE diamond is dug by the miner, ground by the lapidary, set by els in the furnace of affliction and carries on the processes of preparation as with the diamond, only that the discipline of God is adapted to willing and co-operating hearts.

THE Italians have a proverb that. while one devil tempts the toiler, a thousand dog the drone.

REV. JNO. RAINS died near Nash-

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Special Notice to Subscribers. Almost every mail brings us requests about as follows: "My time of subscription is out. I can not well do without the ADVOCATE ; SO please continue it, and I will send you the money in a short time." We never continue the paper in such cases. Let it be so understood. To do so in all cases would necessitate the opening of several thousand additional accounts in our books. This of itself is a good and sufficient reason. There is, however, another : we are not supposed to know the financial responsibility of our subscribers; and to resort to an indiscriminate credit system would subject us to the just charge of being indifferent business men. Subscribers who wish their paper continued must send the money, unless they subscribe through some of the preachers or specially appointed agents, in which case they, the preachers, become personally responsible to us. This is a rule to which we make no exception.

SHAW & BLAYLOCK.

POSTAL CARDS .- Will the brethren head their publications in the following order : Postoffice, county, date. Many now leave out the county. Very few people are so familiar with the State as to properly locate the intelligence unless countyis given.

[For the ADVOCATE. THE DISTRICT CONFERENCE LOVE FEAST.

MISSION VALLEY, July 8.—Ac-cording to a letter just received from France, it is there discovered that an application of *sulphate of ivon* is a sure remedy for the dis-ry Institute appears this week. Weatherford station. Sept 20, 21 Jacksboro and Center mission, at Pleasant Grove, Sept 27, 25 Springtown cir, at Walnut Creek, Oct 4, 5 Eldorado cir, at Good Hope, Oct 11, 12 Christian Mission, at —, Oct 18, 19 Lake City cir, at Grindstone, Oct 25, 26 cording to a letter just received dead. from France, it is there discovered that an application of sulphate of

the results. This disease prevails its managers so thoroughly compepretty much all over the world, tent, that other commendation is and, if successful, this remedy will unnecessary. prove a boon to the race.-G. ON-DERDONK.

e. My article, "A Crit-Criticised," went to the boy." tide. ic waste basket. Intolerance is not present. Liberty of thought is not where.

H. A. GRAVES.

VICTORIA, Victoria Co., July 15. -Health good in town and surrounding vicinity. Weather fair sunshine, with our refreshing sea breeze, which makes it very pleasant, delightful and healthy in our section. Very fine and copious, but partial, rains have recently visited portions of our county. The drouth still prevails to a great trustees of Chappell Hill Female extent in this and adjoining coun- College have elected I. M. Onins ties, and generally throughout West and Southwest Texas. Mr. Free Green's large pasture, of which I spoke in a postal not long since Its managers express a determina- that specific for Consumption, Asthma, and to the ADVOCATE is nearing com- tion to make it all that a first-class threatening Coughs-Cod-Liver Oil and Lime. pletion. Mr. Green is experien- female college should be, and we As prepared by Dr. Wilbor, it is robbed of the cing some little trouble in the have no doubt of their success. Adcourt, owing to a first-class road running through his pasture, though I think he can effect a com-though I think he can effect a compromise to his satisfaction. Success to his effort. Religion about as usual. No prospects for a revival.

H. D. S.

gining, bright and happy. Cook's POINT, July 14th .-Weather very dry, no rain since April of any consequence. The ne-April of any consequence. The ne-groes have the Kansas fever very badly. Our community was sad-badly. Our community was sad-
 The District conference in the law of the Kanasis level very of the Kanasis level of the Kanasis level of the grant of the standing of the s O, that ministers of God would preach more on this mighty sin of intemperance, and the church talk and pray more for the removal of this vice. Strong drink is ruining our country. O, that every christ-ian's heart in all this broad land ian's heart in all this broad land would make one united effort in prayer and supplication to God that he will remove this poisonous cup from the lips of our children. -A. POLLOCK. ONE-HALF the town of Courter-ONF-HALF the town of Courterville, California, was burned last week.
A savory cup of tea is a most enjoyable luxury. You can get the article to make it by reading advertisment of R. Wells elsewhere.
A cook told Dionysius that the black broth of Lacedemon would not do well at Syracuse, unless it be tasted by a Spartan palate. So the excellencies of heaven can not be discerned but by a spirit accustomed to diviner banquets.—
ONF-HALF the town of Courter-A sort of legislator."
July 14-For publication: J W Pearson, S S Scott, J C S Baird, W Whorner, J W Stubble-for publication: J W Botekton.
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that an application of sulphate of iron is a sure remedy for the dis-ease called rot. I have written for method and mode of application of this remedy, and will in time give of this remedy, and will in time give

ROCKPORT, Aransas Co., July 12. settlers of Texas, called at the AD- cured and saved by Hop Bitters, made of Hops, -Still dry. Our people are scat- vocare office the past week. Dr. Buchu, Mandrake, Dandelion, &c., which is so tering abroad. No work on Aran- John will regret being absent, as, pure, simple and harmless that the most frail sas Pass. Business at a low to use Bro. M.'s words, "he knew woman, weakest invalid or smallest child can

alone in Rome. "Ostracism is visited the eastern part of Ohio on st. Louis Christian Advocate, a large eight-page elsewhere." "Ruling spirits" con- the 11th, blowing down a number paper, edited by D. R. McAnally, D. D., to any trol in Church and State. Hold of houses at DeGraff, killing a person who has not heretofore been a subscri-the lamp of truth in the face of the lamp of truth in the face of young man at West Salem, unerror ere you bury it. The man roofing a large number of houses strapped in the gear of the past is not moving the wheels of the ble damage at Cuyalioga and else-

fulsome as to the ability, integrity

and faithfulness of the Sixteenth. Dr. Wesley Taylor-Having used one of the Hol ble lesson it imparts to voters. Let terms to agents immediately. Yours truly, the people look to it that hereafter representative men—men of abil-ity, and men of experience—go to our legislative halls.

WE are gratified to learn that the as president. This college will continue to exert its refining influences over this portion of Texas. Lime .- Invalids need no longer dread to take vertisement elsewhere gives par- the very article required to aid the healing session.

MARRIED. HARRELL-PORTER.-By Rev. M. H. Porter, at and Miss S. R. Porter, of Burleson county, Tex. May the evening of their lives be like the be-

UNANSWERED LETTERS.

DRUNKEN STUFF.

How many children and women are slowly and surely dying, or rather being killed, by ex-MR. DANIEL MARSTON, of Hous- cessive doctoring, or the daily use of some drug ton, and one among the few first or drunken stuff called medicine, that no one knows what it is made of, who can easily be

A VIOLENT and destructive storm A violent and destructive storm *st. Louis Christian Advocate*, a large eight-page *st. Louis Christian Advocate*, a large eight-page *st. Louis Christian Advocate*, a large eight-page

LOGAL D. DAMERON, Manager, St. Louis, Mo. Saves Buying Medicine.

barnessed by creeds. May be, it is dangerous. But, oh! I see it now: "Many are called, but few are CHOSEN," that explains it. Let it be so till things are changed.— Where. NOTHING of importance was de-veloped in our Texas legislature after our last report. The closing message of the Governor was a bit it be so till things are changed.—

Derived Great Benefit.

GAUSE, Texas, April 1, 1879. About the only good we can im-pute to this body is in the valua-it, I desire to act as agent for it. Please send tf MRS. BETTIE BOULDIN.

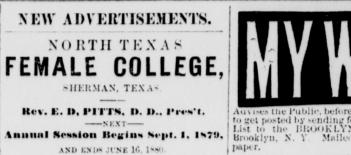
Address all correspondence to DR. WESLEY TAYLOR, Box 268, Galveston, Texas. PRICES-Infants' Pads, \$1.50; Women's, \$2; Men's, \$3; XXX Pads, for chronic cases, \$5. Absorptive, Body or Foot Plasters, 50 cents each. Absorption Bathing Salt, 25 cents per package. All except salt sent free of postage; 10 cents per package for registering. Give symptoms.

Dr. Wilbor's Cod-Liver Oil and

ease has destroyed. This article also forms a remarkable tonic, and will cause weak and debilit ated persons to become strong and robust.It should be kept in every family for instant use Success to the ADVOCATE, and long life to its editor and publishers.— In the residence of the bride's mother, July 10, 1879, Mr. E. C. Harrell, of Lee county, Texas, and Mire S. P. Porter of Burley, Mr. Exast, Descent State of Coughs or Irritation of the first appearance of Coughs or Irritation of the Lungs. Manufactured only by A. B. Wit-.....

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He told us how the Lord, some more'n fifty years agone,

Had come within his heart, as light comes with the dawn :

An' I tell you, you could see it-thar was'nt any doubt:

Thar was'nt a bit of hidin';' the love it shone right out :

An' when he took his seat again, he asked we all 'ud pray

That he might forever be as happy as to-day .

But, some-how, I could but think t'was not the better way,

For, you know, the purest angel-might for sinner pray-

But when one like me tries prayer, had better pray for self;

And when my time has come, an' I'm laid upon the shelf,

If the gates o' heaven will only a little fling You may feel quite sure I'll find our dear old

parson thar.

An' then them other brethren-old and youngarizan' spoke ;

To some how heavy the burden, to some how light the yoke :

But each resolved to march on right bravely with his cross.

And trust to God and heaven whene'er he suffered loss :

And when I heard them sayin' I'm trustin Lord in Thee.

I thought our cause as pow'rful as the big waves o' the sea.

Then riz the presidin' elder, God bless his dear old soul-

But I can't tell you how he looked, nor tell you half he told :

For some-how I couldn't see him, my eyes they welled up so.

But, then, thank God, I heard him-and his heart was all aglow ;

An' I'll just tell yer, John, while he was standin' thar a'speakin'

I felt a love within my soul that a'long time he reap hatred or love. had been sleepin'.

And then they sung that good old song that seems was writ for me. Rock of ages cleft for me, let me hide mysel in thee: And when I heard them preachers, all gathering in the song.

I thought of a new assembly an' of another throng-

When we all shall meet in heaven as the pearly gates unfold.

Upon them streets of golden, where saints no more grow old. MARSHALL, TEXAS, July 1879.

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Jeremy Taylor. IT IS understood in Paris that

cept the position of a "claimant,"

even at the risk of exile from France.

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Texas Christian Advocate acted on Bro. Phillpot's plan? mittee on missions, which reported the children's column. I am ten Church action should always har- subsequently, suggested that Texar- years old. We have a fine Sundaymonize with the Divine call to kana be made a missionary station school of about fifty scholars. We We see in the ADVOCATE, June both, no man has the right to exercise rate with its importance. Rev. J. word every Sunday.—KATIE GLAS-

14th, a communication from Bro. the functions of the ministry. But Clark Smith, of Queen City circuit, Gow. J. P. Phillpot, in which he offers according to Bro. Phillpot's views, reports the spiritual state of the what he considers objections to our the man who is called to preach church on his work on the advance. Uncle John : I will promise you to views as expressed in our rejoinder must not only do that, but without Great harmony prevails and peace read the New Testament through to Bro. E. M. Sweet's article which any authority from the church he and goodwill mark the intercourse was published in the ADVOCATE must administer the sacraments of his brethren. He reports two under the titie, "Problems of in cases of emergency. We would Sabbath-schools well supplied with Church Law." We have no objec- like for him to show that God ever our literature, and the out-look Faaris) promised to read the Testion to the review of all we have authorized a man to preach or ad- from a financial stand-point entament through; I don't know written on the negative side of the minister the sacraments without couraging. Our church literature how far she has read. Uncle John, question at issue, but we do object the authority and endorsement of is well circulated on this charge. to the manner in which he evades the question. It is an easy task for any man to offer objections to a sound argument, but the truth can support of his theory, as follows: "To the church are well cared for ; atnever be confuted. Facts, not fiction, transcend his gospel rights, he tendance upon Divine service will have due weight on the en- must do something that that call good, and the people are spiritually did not contemplate, and to ignore alive. He reports four Sunday-He takes up our "lastly" first and says but little about it, and in con-nection with this he notices several features of our reply. In doing so, as we understand his efforts, he in-contemplates and to ignore the faith is simply not to regard the teaching of the scriptures." Now if Bro. Phillpot will prove that God in view of his own calling contemplates that none should who travels the Daingerfield cirevery Sunday, and love our supermuch.-ELLA ROBERSON. troduces some extracts, asks ques-tions, and lastly offers us a "pre-mium." It is strange that such an spect to her authority, then he will He has worked very hard this year, mium." It is strange that such an adept in theology will make such a display of logic. He is on the affirmative side; hence the onus probandi devolves on him. It is well known to all who have read his to prove that the sun will rise in the west on the first day of August, known to all who have read his to prove that the sun probandi devolves on him. It is well known to all who have read his to prove that the sun probandi devolves on him. It is well known to all who have read his to prove that the sun probandi devolves on him. It is well known to all who have read his to prove that the sun probandi devolves on him. It is well known to all who have read his to prove that the sun probandi devolves on him. It is well known to all who have read his to prove that the sun probandi devolves on him. It is well known to all who have read his to prove that the sun will rise in the west on the first day of August, the west on the firs defense—favoring Bro. Sweet's po-sitions—that he did not introduce a particle of proof, and now, if he or intends that men shall administer good. Mt. Pleasant circuit is served wery Sunday evening. Bro. Puta particle of proof, and *uoa*, if *u* of intends that men shall administer good. Mt. Fleasant circuit is served any one else will introduce it (if proof can be found) we will give up the question. But thus far we have not seen anything that would have not seen anything that would call forth rebutting evidence. For has endowed her with authority is evident if He has no authority in it, for it is evident if He has no authority in it, for it is evident if He has no authority in it, for it is evident if He has no authority in it, for it is evident if He has endowed her with authority in the authority in the data authority in the data authority in the formation of many formation is observed by the majority of the heads of families belonging to his charge. He reports the church on his work spiritually also conclude that he has no authority in the formation of many formation is observed by the majority of the heads of families belonging to his charge. He reports that the has no authority in the formation of many formation is observed by the majority of the heads of families belonging to his charge. his gratification, we will notice a she must in her mission of mercy His people co-operate with him

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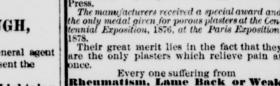
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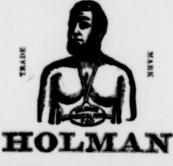
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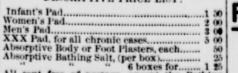
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MOON'S PHASES.

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Full moon 3	3	38 p.
Last quarter11	2	54 a.
New moon19	3	6 a.
First quarter	4	36 8.

	HISTORICAL EVENTS-JULY.
July	4, 1808-Fountain E. Pitts born.
	5, 1806-Bishop Whatcoat died.
July	6, 1757-Bishop McKendree born.
	16, 1790-Wesley's last entry in his journa
	21, 1834-Duncan McAllum died.
	23, 1742-Susana h Wesley died.
	24, 1816-Samuel Bradburn died.
	26, 1820-Emory at British Conference.
nly	31 1833-Melville B. Cox died in Africa.

Town Nomenclature.

The names of the cities, towns, and villages of the United States reveal a certain poverty of invention which is, at the same time, mingled with a curious audacity. In Smith county, Tenn., confessed It would appear as if the founders propriate name for their place by victim is opiated so that it cannot of towns were usually at their wits' end to find names to stick to their joices in a Tar Heel. bantlings. In some instances, those who have had the naming of the nascent cities have deliberately to have heen a rivalry among the to have been a rivalry among thave to have the rival to have the rival to have the riv is not practicable, a name which perpetuates some incident connected with the early history of the region is a good substitute. A termination in too common more poor and mean in American nomenclature can be found in the ville. For example, there are 44 Washingtons in the republic, which, considering the popularity patron. of the Father of his Country and

Jexas Christian Advocate Southern exposure and prefix. In ment, in our solar system, the law North Carolina, where the word of gravitation should be suspended, prefix. Many of these are the names of Old England adapted to headlong and irresistible falling down the chasms of the universe New Cumberland, and New Dur-or that woful stillness and slavery ham are good examples of this af-fectionate perpetuation of the names of our English ancestral homes. But there are 14 Newtons, and a large proportion of the soul. That would paralyze them and a large proportion of the soul. It must be God draw-ing the due the ing down of the soul. It must be God draw-ing the due the old one mended and revised. Among the odd names, Pennsylvania gives us the novelty of Congruity, and Virginia fur-nishes the euphonious title of Nance's Shop, in the county known by the singular name of Charles City. In Perry county, Kentucky, and North Carolina gives us the conforms to known science. Other mended and the attraction. Christianity and North Carolina gives us the conforms to known science. Other mended and devoted chris-the attraction. Christianity Nontes-Mrs. Salle Cook Nobles was born in prefix. Many of these are the be really free-free from all that 38 p. m. 54 a. m. 6 a. m. we find the nice name of Cut Shins, er the attraction. Christianity and North Carolina gives us the conforms to known science. Others

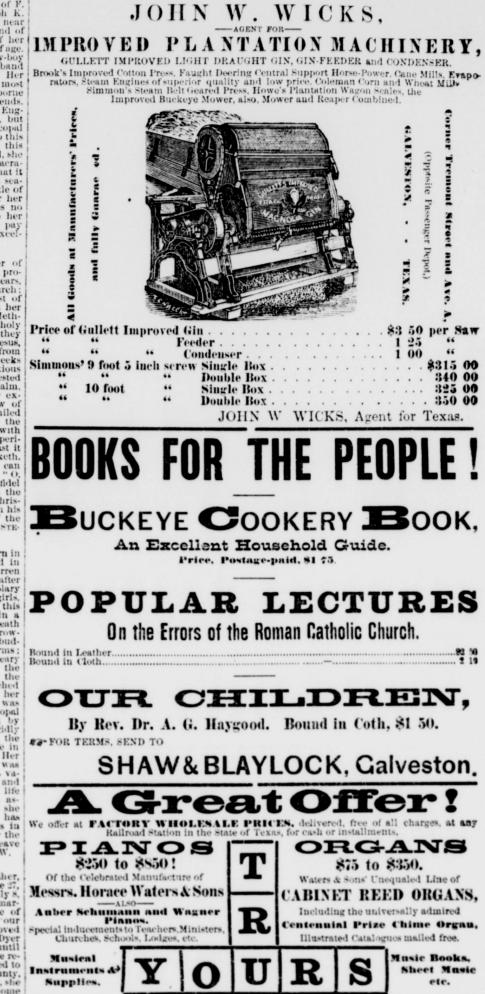
books, without the least propriety priority of the selection and appro-or significance being observed in priation of such names. In addi-est damage in the harm it does a books, without the least propriety or significance being observed in the selection. In Onondaga coun-ty and its vicinity, in this State, for example, a Frenchman, aided by a limited acquaintance with ancient history and a copy of "Lempriere," scattered the names the country with a liberal hand. Rome, Syracuse, and Carthage are supplemented with Manlius, Pompey, Tully, Cicero, Romulus, and a full assortment of the names of the mames of the names of the pey, Tully, Cleero, Romulus, and a full assortment of the names of the dwellers in Olympus. Of course, such names can have no possible meaning, as thus attached; they are merely stuck on, and their being cut off again would not be considered a loss by anybody. A town's title, to have any real ap-propriateness, should have a local application if possible ; or if this is not practicable, a name which West. There are 32 Lincolns in the ding subjugation of the whole na-United States, to say nothing of ture, and thus the man is helped to The Saints, male and female, play an important part in our nomen-clature. There are more than 300 of these Saintly prefixes, besides the Sans and the Santas of Cali-fornia and Texas. There are 14 the several inevitable Lincolnvilles. freedom by the leverage of the use is the French "ville." Nothing clature. There are more than 300 gazetteers than this everlasting fornia and Texas. There are 14 missionary society of the Methodist St. Marys, and 12 St. Pauls. Three Episcopal Church South. "Where towns only claim St. Peter for their are the nine." <text><text><text><text><text><text> Of all the natural objects which have been pressed into the service

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Southern exposure and prefix. In North Carolina, where the word South is very dear, one community, as if in despair of finding a title not already in use, have called their town South Toe. There ought to be a North Toe, or, at least, a Toe-ville, but there isn't. In North Carolina, too, such is the fertility of the invention of the people, there is a town called Why Not; and there is a town called Why Not; town South Toe compass, however, they had exhausted the word cities in the Union bearing that prefix. Many of these are the hames of Old England adapted to

NOBLES .- Mrs. Sallie Cook Nobles was born in and North Carolina gives us the town of Democrat. Appropriately enough, it is in Buncombe county that we find this charming name. North Carolina, which has a monopoly of the odd names, is proud to own the postoffice of Mutual Love. In Sampson county, same State, is situated the cheerful community of Dismal. Some settlers in Smith county, Tenn., confessed

in Smith county, Tenn., confessed their trials in searching for an ap-propriate name for their place by calling it Difficult. Georgia has a Dirt Town, and North Carolina re-joices in a Tar Heel. To emancipate a man you must



Obituarics.

" How happy is the child of grace. Who knows his sins forgiven."

TAYLOR-It becomes my sad and painful duty

TAYLOR-II becomes my sad and painful duty to communicate the intelligence of the death of my dear mother. Mrs. C. A. Taylor, wife of Rev. R. F. Taylor, died in great peace, in Granbvry, Hood county, Texas, May 3, 1879. The deceased was born in Orange county. North Carolina, March 6, 1830; moved with her parents, Thos, and Jane Williams, to Guinpette county, Geor-gia, in 1836; embraced religion and joined the M. E. Church in 1842 or 1843; was married to R. F. Taylor Sentember 24, 1846; moved with him gia, in 1856; embraced religion and joined the M. E. Church in 1842 or 1843; was married to R. F. Taylor September 24, 1846; moved with him to Alabama in 1848, and thence to Texas in 1850, where they lived happily together till her earthly carcer was ended. Language is too poor to describe justly the true worth of this ex-cellent Christian lady. However, suffice it to say that her life was replete with those traits that characterize the true Bible Christian. She died as she had lived. "Blessed are the dead that die in the Lord," Will she be missed? O, yes! We have lost our best earthly friend, and the church one of its brightest lights. We weep, but tears can ne'er recall her. Elessed be the name of God; our loss is her gain. Six of her children preceded her to the glory world; her husband, three children and a host of other relatives and friends mourn her departure. May divine grace sustain us, and may we all meet her in heaven...J. R. D. TAYLOR. P. S. Allow me to express my gratitude to

her in heaven.-J. R. D. TAYLOR. P.S. Allow me to express my gratitude to the people of Granbury for their kindness to my mother and sister. My dear friends, we are strangers, but allow me to say that I am a thousand times obliged to you for your kind-ness to my mother and sister before and after their death. I hope the Lord will richly reward you for all your trouble, and save you all in heaven.-J. R. D. TAYLOR.

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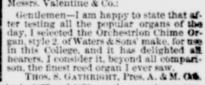
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LONDON LETTER.

play of Live Stock.

[From our Regular Correspondent]. LONDON, June 20th, 1879.

The Royal Agricultural Society under the nominal patronage of exhibtions of the Society.

Two miles from the marble arch, and on a plain, open road, well served at all times by omibuses, sights of London. the site of the exhibition is now so largely occupied with the structures necessary for the large and com- The Busy. Smoky City Photograph- fail to observe what they are doing, prehensive display, as to suggest a near approach to complete readiness. Owing to continued rains, the ground, a stiff clay, is not at present in good condition; but there is time before the last day of the month, when the show-yard of the busy, smoky city of St. Louis more than a hundred acres will be for one week "taking in the situaopened, for an entire change in tion," and a good deal of real dust, this important respect; and even a and now he is comfortably quarfew days of sunshine, for which tered at 1316 Pine street. To one the moderately hopeful may look recently from a modest little Texas here and there, and will include jewelry and costly jewels. To see within its ample bounds many all this and much more, and then oaks and elms rejoicing in what believe that Polyphemus calls "decent growth." They will aid in a scheme of rendering ornamental those portions of the ground not occupied with

Texas Christian Advocate and his workmen have made more which took place two weeks ago, would cover more than twenty- this city, will be shortened several made up as follows:

show, for which two hundred and the Brazos with fifty tons of straw, seventy-five

tons of hay, and thirty acres of and the road-bed along the entire green food, such as vetches and route from here to Austin and clover, have been deemed a possi- Houston is to be improved. There the Prince of Wales, is in the midst bly short supply; so that addition-of preparation for an International al quantities are in requisition. railroad circles that will greatly Agricultural Exhibition that prom- The international character of the redound to the interest of Texas. ises to be more successful, as it exhibition will without doubt be The capitalists, bondholders and will be larger and more compre-hensive, than any of the previous view of the large incursion of guests and east, will do very much

> showing them proper hospitality guid condition of our section and for conducting them to the than will the Greenbackers Re-RAC.

ST. LOUIS LETTER.

ed-Texas and St. Lous Business Interests-The Importance of Correct Information Regarding Texas-The Texas Press Should Giveit.

From our Regular Correspondent.] ST. LOUIS, July 14, 1879.

Your correspondent has been in forward as a seasonable likelihood town, St. Louis presents a pleasing from publishing in these columns

TIMES ARE HARD,

will not go down your correspon- "taken in and done for." Careful Dixon's line over the preference dent at this stage of the game. It observation, however, develops the given ex-Confederate soldiers and tail the process by which a treasury ed that liberty of worship has been sneds, or marked out in avenues. One comely tree giving additional grace to the open spot, near the entrance in the Saulsbury road where is situate a small artificial lake is stuate a small artificial lake is s has come to my notice here, as fact that a vast amount of solid officers when Southern people adorned with neighboring objects proposition that the fellows who and capital to keep at it long enough patriotic, and desire to see the warof appropriate character. Seven-teen years have elapsed since the denom of

THE total treasury receipts for than necessary abvance towards "means business," and that in the fiscal year under review were completing the remainder. If the another year, if not sooner, the \$274,034,916 against \$257,763,878 canvas which covers long rows of time between Galveston, Austin for the preceding year, an increase she increase was laid down as a carpet, it and all railroad Texas towns, and of \$16,271,038. This increase was time of the advantage of the transmittee which inves-

NEW IRON BRIDGES,

plans will be duly organized for more for our people and the lanpublicans, Democrats, or any other set of politicians or miserable office-seekers. Let us at least not or indulge in doubtful glances when they state candidly what they propose to do. Let us meet bursing officers. The decrease in business men half way, or some- revenue receipts is chargeable to where, even though we have to forego the pleasure for all time to come of being talked to patronizingly by the bland politicians that abound everywhere-when and where there is an office in sight.

E. H. Q.

LEADVILLE.-We have refrained toward the end of June, would suffice to make things pleasant for one another about like grains of ports in reference to this new the opening. Situate as the ground corn in a hopper, and they seem mining region. We have felt that is, between the Edgeware and Har- to never tire of hurrying on in the we would not be justified in lendrow roads, with a recently increased general "exodus". St. Louis has a ing the influence of the ADVOCATE grand network of street railways; toward encouraging the enterpristhat pleasant variety in the over- and every car goes loaded day and ing to embark in an uncertain grown compass of the London pos-tal system, a veritable rus in urbe to walk and many to ride in fash-tal system, a veritable rus in urbe tal system, a veritable *rus in urbe* may there be found. If the society which takes the lead in promoting national agriculture had gone into any of the English counties not actually famed for picturesque to walk and many to ride in fash-ionable turnouts behind large beautiful animals, many of which can shove along at 2:40. It is hard for an exceedingly conscientious correspondent of a religious paper to give oredence to the complaints perilous adventure, and, as in the closed men's eyes to those inva-be ascertained, \$36,500,000. Of this specific the second them \$9,310,787 were eaten up in "exscenery, and had selected a spot to give credence to the complaints now to place before our readers a agreeably surrounded by hill and woodland, no happier combina-has witnessed for a week the rustle has witnessed for a week the rustle tion of sylvan and pastoral vicinity and tustle of the people in a great the popular firm of Thos. Goggin could have served to heighten and city, all bent on going some place, & Bro., has just returned from a show forth the busy bucolic pic- and everybody apparently buying five weeks' sojourn there. From ture. The show will be almost en-tirely surrounded by noble trees, with spires darting up among them with spires darting up among them with all newly settled places, and tion long awaited. especially mining settlements, gambling and licentiousness are rampant. The inexperienced, there- satisfaction in some portions of the fore, stand a good chance of being country north of Mason and

Peculation and Speculation.

The "suppressed report" of Hon. J. M. Glover, chairman of the con-

2,332,1546,627,089\$16.271,038 **Total** increase

estimate the customs receipts show items that tend to show how pa- struction of \$40,000 worth, and an increase of \$4,500,000 and the triotic officials execute the sacred Gen. Spinner, Secretaries Boutwell while the internal revenue receipts people : In the bureau of engrav- ly refused to investigate the matter. show a decrease of about \$2,000,-000. The increase in customs responding increase in the import ployes were put on the pay-rolls. even having been issued. The trade, while the increase from miscellaneous sources is mainly due to the profits on silver coinage and to large repayments made during balances of the accounts of dis- cost of the bureau for the sixteen stating that many of these and the agitations in congress for a re- other matters that it could not be duction of the taxes on whiskey precisely ascertained without the and tobacco

THE French Chamber of Deputies

159. The feature of exciting con-troversy in the bill is its prohibitfrom a policy which has hitherto closed men's ever to those invasions when it has not favored them. That is the meaning of the bill; that is its aim ; that is what France must see in it. And this very considerable event explains the excitement of the reactionary parties, of whom ultramontanism is the pathy manifested by republican democracy to measures of repara-

THERE is apparently great dis-

really cost the government in disregarded in many respects. various ways over \$800,000. The * * The report conclud in the treasury accounts with vestigation.

been wasted or stolen.

ing from teaching all members of religious bodies not recognized by the State. The bill affects princi-nally Loguite for transmission of the state pally Jesuits, from which class it into the treasury the proceeds of Canadians thereon to be as follows received the most violent oppo- such property, to be returned to for the period of five years, beginsition. M. Spuller, in his report the owners on proof before the court ning July 1, 1873, and ending June advocating the bill, said: The in- of claims of ownership and freedom 30, 1878: advocating the bill, said: The in-vasions of ultramontanism have reached their term. The govern-ment of the Republic severs itself ment of the Republic severs itself

be ascertained, \$36,500,000. Of this \$9,310,787 were eaten up in "ex-penses," leaving over \$27,000,000. Of this, \$9,545,000 have been re-whale and other fish turned to owners under the judgment of the court of claims, 81,-623,000 by the secretary of the treasury, \$292,000 under special erel taken in the American waters bond of union; and the warm sym- acts of congress and \$188,000 un- during the same period is \$10,566,der the act of May 18, 1872-in 790. The total value of the maall, \$11,648,000. This should rine fisheries of Canada for the leave on hand over \$15,500,000, year 1876 is estimated to be \$11.but the report of the secretary 093,650. The estimated value of shows but about \$9,000,000 on the marine fisheries of the United

other six and half millions the 278,829. committee could not learn. The report gives in de-50 to 400 feet. Just here is where express the wish that our Northern Pacific coast. The same party also cluded in the new arrangement the misery begins. Most of the for- friends would select their represent- helped the Nevada bank of San are supposed to include only those which even then existed between They are more likely to gall them-tune-hunters are without capital— ative men from among those who Francisco, letting it know of the who, accepting the general tenets stoppage of the coinage of trade of the Greek faith, have adopted dollars in time to make a hand-some profit. * * * From some profit. From Aug. 25, 1865, to May 5, 1873, the treasury paid to attorneys, agents and informers more than \$1,000, sensibly felt in many parts of the 000 from the money which belong. ed to owners of cotton. A brief inspection of the treasurer's books revealed the fact that \$19,000,000 of notes were at one time secretly afloat for some and sit in his bones." In many months, the treasury statements being false during that time to that extent; and the fact of that secret issue remained unknown till light-LONDON, England, is having The books were falsified, and a ed on by the Glover committee. balance forced to conceal this secret issue, by untruly stating that \$19,000,000 had been deposited as a temporary loan, when no such deposit took place. From 1867 to 1873, while the by law was \$356,000,000, the treasurer's books revealed the fact that repeatedly the amount afloat was \$2,000,000 above the authorized amount in the middle of the month, enough being turned over for destruction on the last day of the month to bring the total down to \$356,000,000, and in other! months the circulation was cut an engineering work of vast imdown as much as \$12,000,000 below portance in Central Asia, it being the published figures in the middle nothing less than the restoration of the month, enough being taken of the long-disused channel of the from the unissued notes on hand Oxus river-the stream which on the last day to make up the figures in recent accounts of Russum to the lawful figure on state- sian conquests by its native name ment day. Spinner swore that the public debt Five cases of fever were reported ernment for losses in the South books; that he did not approve of from various parts of Europe have at Memphis—two being determined during the twar. Many claims them; that his name was put to gone to Utab. The father-land them without his authority; that probably gains by the change, and reliable sources, though denied by certain bitterly partisan element in truthful statements ; that balances ignorance and superstition. the New Orleans Board of Health. the North feel outraged because were forced in these statements, It is safe, however, to say all the E. J. Harvey, who was Inspector- and that he finally got the law cases cited are sporadic; and the General on Jos. E. Johnston staff, changed so as to relieve him of the have been disastrous to the libduty he was not allowed to perform. erals or ministerial party. Their of the fiscal year, 1866, the treas- to the latest returns received, agurer's books show that the amount gregate fifty seats. sum outstanding June 30, 1865, the same period of 1878."

were published, differing by mil. lions, and none of the three was true. The first tigated the affairs of the treasury Charles H. Cornwell, chief of the \$7.311,795 department, is published. The re- redemption division of the treas. port, which is very long, opens urer's office, was caught stealing with a statement of the many ram-ifications of the treasury depart- amount thus reissued is not known, gate estimates presented to con-gress in December last by the sec-return of the treesury's hands. We ship the treesury's hands. We ship the treesury's hands. We ship the treesury's hands. retary of the treasury by \$9,500, 000. Compared with the secretary's compile from the report a few in making a false certificate of detrusts confided them by the dear and Bristow and others, persistenting and printing it was found that though about \$800,000,000 of notes shortly before last year's elections had passed through Jones' hands nearly three hundred needless em. in perfect shape, much of it never Instead of the bureau costing about checks and precautions against \$150,000 in the fiscal year 1878, as theft in destruction are found to has been publicly represented, it have been grossly neglected and

The report concludes by years of its existence is so mixed other matters need much more in-

THE fisheries and custom arlabor of a number of competent rangements existing between the clerks for many months. Accord- United States and Great Britain ing to the best attainable informa- are not considered profitable to have passed M. Jules Ferry's edu-cational bill by a vote of 352 to spent on it, much of which has better. The following statistics furnished by the treasury depart-In 1862 congress provided ment show the total amount of fish

> Value. Duty saved ..\$ 3,357,241 38 \$ 780,430 7 .. 1,256,856 64 361,954 0 19,019 00 247,628 02 1.138,501 13 180,853 562,539 00 112,467 8 Totals. 7,195,630 42 \$1,666,821 78 The estimated value of the mackhand. What has become of the States in the same year is \$70,-

> > FROM St. Petersburg it is report-

"Royal" held its great exhibition danger of at Battersea, and the disparity

nourishing and sustaining aliments year of bountiful harvest and for these advantages; hence, Lead- those who served in the war: In may be seen by every one who resumption. I would advise all ville wealth gravitates in most the South almost every one of will glance through the schedule of chronic howlers about hard times cases to speculators, while the hard worth "went to the wars;" in the prizes. At present the total value to try one of Crawford's liver pads, workers leave discouraged, often North, very many of the "valiant" of these inducements to competi-tion amounts to £13,188, and other right over their ugly mouths. and the proper place to put it is having to beg or work their pas-tion amounts to £13,188, and other right over their ugly mouths. Therefore, people withtion amounts to £13,188, and other right over their ugly mouths. awards are contemplated. For St. Louis is truly a great city, out capital should stay away from in many instances, non-English British and foriegn horses, asses and I see evidences of growth and Leadville. The extreme unhealthi- speaking substitutes filled, "for a and mules, the gross sum to be dis- thrift wherever I go. There is ness of the climate is another ob- consideration," their places in the tributed is £3,390. The prizes much building going on now, and jection ; and this can't be overcome ranks. We recommend this item among bulls, cows and heifers, of the smokestacks that tower above by money. The nights, even now, to Dr. Foul-er. all the British breeds, amounts to foundries, mills and factories are sometimes reach a freezing temper-£3,517, foriegn cattle dividing the to be counted by the thousand in ature, while the days are disagree-

for foriegn sheep £250; while prizes amounting to £60 will be apportion-ed among the goats. The account of a magnificent scale, and a new thealive stock is made up by £300 set ter, one of the finest in the union, not encouraging. To be a success develops the fact that no law apart for pigs. The list of produce is approaching completion. The at Leadville, you must be proof exists under which the offenders amount of greenbacks authorized includes hops, seed, corn, wool, but- great river bridge, the fair grounds against "sharpers;" you must have can be punished. A loud call is ter, cheese, hams, bacon, prserved or Zoological garden, Lafayette plenty of capital, and run a first- made for the enactment of laws and fresh meats, field and garden park and the Union depot are ob- rate chance of being a leading ob- covering this crime. We are some-

conjunction with hives and bees, under an advanced system of are counting on a good trade from apiary management. Prizes for all Texas this year, and they are rethese various exhibits amount to joicing over the changing of the £1,716, apart from the main sum gauge of the Iron Mountain road, of £11,492, devoted to the encour- connecting with the Texas Pacific agement of stock breeding.

and the I. & G. N., which will fa-Every day now makes a visible cilitate trade and travel from the difference in the aspect of the vast Lone Star State. They hope to see show-yard; and a visit of inspec- Texas devote berself more especition, in which several foreign rep-resentatives of agricultural societies They say, and with much argujoined, was yesterday made under ment and sound sense, "let the the guidance of Mr. H. M. Jenkens, North-west raise the grain, the the secretary, and Mr. Jacob Wil- pork and the fruit, and Texas the son, who has charge of the general cotton, sugar and tobacco." The arrangements. There being in the North-west, they argue, "can beat inclosed area of one hundred and the South in grain, but the South five acres, seven miles of cat- is ahead on cotton, sugar, and totle-sheds and more than five miles bacco." "We want to attract the of other canvas-covered or timber- cotton of Texas to St. Louis, but we roofed structures. The magnitude want to send that state something of show may be easily imagined. in return. There must be trade Tram-ways, as in the Jardin d'Ac- both ways; the business relations the public, occasioned by the terrible these documents. climatisation, in Paris, are being of Texas and St. Louis must be experiences of last ye haid down; and a species char-a- mutual." In other words, they magnifies the danger. banc will be drawn on these by small French locomotives. As a sign of approaching readiness, it is the people of Texas, farmers, by sending to first hands. See adworthy of remark that Mr. John stockraisers and merchants, to meet vertisement of Brooklyn Furniture act was to dissolve the constitu-tional assembly, the place of which month it was \$26,000,000 less. have increased \$140,000, compared with the sum contributed during Unite's contract to finish the im-plement yard, which only expires the changing of the gauge of the same period of uniture. The line the same period of 1878."

STARVING TO DEATH.

the home production and con- selves under the collar these hot or at least only have enough to get did their duty as soldiers. They sumption of food has meanwhile days, or to contract some bronchial a "claim" in tempting condition, know and appreciate Southern enormously increased. An earnest affection, which might bring about when they must sell out at a sacri- metal. There is, however, an obdesire on the part of the society to their immediate dissolution, than fice. Large companies, with ample vious reason for this difference of promote abundant supplies of all are they to die of hunger this capital, have their agents watching treatment, by the two sections, of

large sum of £2,220. British sheep will take among them £1,755; and Mississippi valley. The Southern changes superinducing pneumonia, erature. It has been brought to the

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at his store a very large quantity. | arrests are made. THE report of yellow fever at while at Vicksburg, New Orleans, ernment. These records are found St. Louis, Galveston and other very valuable in determining the probability of epidemic is not at all imminent. The nervousness of compilation and publication of experiences of last year, naturally

and fresh meats, field and garden vegetables and honey, the last jects of especial interest to strang-named substance being shown in ers. conjunction with hives and bees. ST. LOUIS BUSINESS MEN ST. LOUIS BUSINESS MEN ST. LOUIS AND ST. LOUIS AND ST. LOUIS AND ST. LOUIS BUSINESS MEN ST. LOUIS AND ST. LOUIS BUSINESS MEN S of valuable information from Mr. is hardly a city of prominence in Goggin, and also examine speci- the Union where disgusting and mens of Leadville's best produc- obscene literature is not sold by tions of ore, as he has on exhibition leading dealers, and yet how few

> THE publication of the various Memphis has been the news event military orders issued by Conof the week under review. A per- federate generals has been deterfect panic was created at Memphis, mined upon by the national govplaces the excitement was intense. merits of claims against the govat New Orleans are reported from evidence found in these orders. A

THAT fruitful topic of conversation, the weather, is making itself country. The fact is, if "Old Probs" expects to keep sufficiently "cool" to do the subject justice, he will have to follow the Irishman's advice: "strip himself of flesh localities the mercury is far into the nineties, with an upward tendency, while at a number of points it has gone to 104 and 110. Numbers of sun-strokes reported in Missouri, Illinois, Wisconsin, Michigan, Indiana, Iowa, Tennessee, etc.

HOLDERS of the ten-forty bonds are advised, in a circular from the treasury department, to send them in for redemption at once. An immense amount of these bonds will be payable on the 18th and 21st of this month, and prompt redemption will be a physical impossibility unless the bonds are at once placed in the hands of the department, in order that the necessary accounting labor may be performed before the dates named.

THE Russians are engaged upon Gen. of Amoo-Daria.

> Six hundred more Mormons probably gains by the change, and America adds to its incubus of

In nearly the whole losses in the reichsrath, according